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Three flag-sellers who helped to collect over \$1,000 for the St. John Ambulance Brigade yesterday. (King's Studio).

ILLUMINATIONS IN HONG KONG

Preliminary Try-Out Last Night

BUSINESS PREMISES AND HOTELS LIT UP

A slight impression of the appearance of the Colony will present on the night of His Majesty's Jubilee to-morrow, could be gained last night when many of the important building were brilliantly illuminated. Pedder Street, with the Hong Kong Hotel at one end and the Ewo Building at the other, could almost be described as the "Great White Way," while Des Voeux Road looking towards Sincere's was a blaze of brilliance.

The Hong Kong Hotel building was decorated with four rows of lights, red, white, blue and pink, and the Ewo Building was a tracery of white lights with the verandahs and arches brilliantly outlined.

In Queen's Road, the Asia Life Building and the St. Francis Hotel were the most conspicuous, but many of the smaller cafés and shops were gaily illuminated with Jubilee lanterns and lights of all colours. (Continued on Page 24)

LOSS TO BRITISH OPERA

Death Of Impresario Charles Manners

London, Yesterday. The death is announced of the well-known singer and operatic impresario Charles Manners, Managing Director of the Moody-Manners Opera Companica, Ltd., in his seventy-eighth year. — Reuter. (Continued on Page 24)

BARBARIANS BEAT LONDON

Rugby Union Results

London, Yesterday. In to-day's Rugby Union programme Barbarians beat London by 34 points to 8 at Twickenham, while the combined Leicestershire and East Midlands fifteen beat the combined Warwickshire North Midlands, Nottinghamshire, Lincolnshire and Derbyshire by 18 points to 13 at Coventry. — Reuter. (Continued on Page 24)

ITALIAN FILM INDUSTRY TO BE BOOSTED

Rome, Yesterday.—It was decided at a Council of Ministers, over which Signor Mussolini presided, that, for every three foreign films shown in future, one Italian film must be shown. — Reuter.

PHILIPPINES REVOLT SCOTCHED

MANILA TENSION EASED BY THUNDERSTORM

ALL-NIGHT PATROL IN CITY

Manila, Yesterday. After a night and day of terror Manila and the surrounding provinces were still tense on Friday evening, though the indications pointed to the fact that the Sakdal uprising had been controlled. The two towns where the outbreak reached its peak were Cabuyao in Laguna province, and San Ildefonso in Bulacan province, in both of which the Sakdalistas actually captured the municipal buildings and raised the Sakdal flag, and more than 200 people were formally accused of sedition.

While heavily armed police patrolled Manila all night the police stations were crowded with reserves and the barracks of the Manila garrison were on the alert. Up to midnight no trouble had been reported. A heavy thunderstorm shortly before midnight lessened the danger of rioting in Manila.

A final check-up of Friday's fighting showed that among the constabulary two men were killed and 12 wounded, while the Sakdalistas lost 65 killed and 62 wounded. One policeman and five bystanders were also wounded.

The Under-Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Guinto, is said to have informed the people that they have nothing to fear now. Everything is under control, he asserts, and the constabulary authorities have the situation well in hand. — Reuter.

Independence Dangers

The uprising in the Philippines little surprised the predictions made freely some time ago by those familiar with the situation, that such trouble might be expected. Commissioner Guevara said that the troubles "may even jeopardise the life of the commonwealth and may even be taken by the world as a hint of what will happen once independence is an accomplished fact."

Senor Delgado took a somewhat different view and said that such things could happen anywhere when passions were aroused.

Governor Murphy, at present on vacation at White Sulphur Springs, regretted the outbreak, but expressed the opinion that it will not get out of hand.

A disavowal that the Sakdalists Party was responsible for the uprising was made by Senor Tomas Espanola, representing himself to be the President of the

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CHESS MASTER BEATEN

CAPABLANCA LOSES TO YOUNG PLAYER

Shanghai, Yesterday. The 22-year-old Russo-American Sreshevsky won the International Chess Tournament at Margate, beating Capablanca by half a point.

Sreshevsky is regarded as the most promising among the younger generation of chessmen. He usually plays quickly, but yesterday he took 80 minutes to consider a move in a game against the British champion, Sir George Thomas. The game ended in a draw.

Sir George was third in the tournament. — Reuter.

MISHAP TO "KENT" AT SHANGHAI

CHAIN DRAGGED AND SNAPPED

Shanghai, Yesterday. At least a month will be required to repair the British naval buoy at Whangpoo, off the Shanghai Club, which was founled on Friday as H.M.S. Kent, arriving from Hong Kong, attempted to tie up. The Kent, swinging wide, dragged her chain, which snapped.

The Kent, now moored on the Pootung side of the river, is now unable to take such a prominent part in the Jubilee celebrations as had been planned. — Reuter.

JUBILEE INFLUX FROM CANTON

Banknote Premium Increase

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, Yesterday.

Although the members of the Canton Chamber of Commerce are unable to go to Hong Kong to take part in the Silver Jubilee, as requested by Mr. Herbert Phillips, the British Consul-General, many people left here this morning for Hong Kong to witness an event they are not likely to see again.

Wealthy people from the interior are here on their way to see the celebrations. Trains and steamers leaving here for Hong Kong are full of passengers, and the rush will continue to-morrow.

Because those who go to Hong Kong have to buy Hong Kong banknotes, the necessary premium has risen to 37 cents for each dollar. The tendency is towards a further rise, as there is an increasing demand for Hong Kong dollars by those going to the Colony.

WEATHER REPORT

A weak anti-cyclone is situated between Japan and the Bonin Islands, and a ridge of moderately high pressure extends from it to Central China. The depression to the East of the Philippines appears to have filled up. The local forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last night, was easterly winds, moderate, fair.

"Clearing Of Decks" Urged By "Times"

DIFFICULT PERIOD ENVISAGED

NATION SHOCKED BY GERMAN CHALLENGE

"NATIONAL GOVERNMENT FOR NATIONAL NEEDS"

London, Yesterday.

Politicians are deeply impressed by the combined significance of the West Edinburgh by-election and the universal endorsement of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald's speech on foreign policy on Thursday, of which the Manchester Guardian says that the speech contains little to complain of and much to approve.

The *News Chronicle* adds that, given the present conditions in Europe, Mr. MacDonald's announcement of an increase in the Air Force cannot be challenged.

It is pointed out that in 1929 the Socialists won West Edinburgh, which was formerly a Liberal stronghold, by nearly 3,000 votes; at what was also a three-cornered contest. Thus the National vote increased by 25 per cent., the Socialist vote dropped 30 per cent., and that of the Liberals nearly 70 per cent.

The *Times*, drawing attention to the approval of the Government's policy on Thursday by Sir Herbert Samuel, Mr. Lloyd George and many Labour members, attributes the West Edinburgh election to the conviction of the electorate that there are difficult times ahead. No form of Government it has yet met will meet the national requirements better than the National Government.

The *Morning Post*, contrasting the acute divisions regarding foreign policy some months ago with to-day's conspicuous unanimity, says that the people of this country are more profoundly shocked than Reichsführer Hitler yet appears to realise by the series of challenges which Germany has thrown down to ourselves and the rest of Europe.

— Reuter.

Fred Perry, holder of the title, to-day defeated H. W. (Bunny) Austin by 6-6, 6-4, 3-6, 6-2, 6-0, in the final of the British Hard Court Lawn Tennis Championship at Bournemouth, to win the title for the fourth year in succession.

Perry defeated Daniel Prenn of Germany in the semi-final round, while Austin accounted for Farquharson, the South African star.

— Reuter.

There was a disappointing end to the women's doubles and mixed doubles when Miss E. M. Dearman, a finalist in both events, was taken ill with influenza and had to scratch from both.

In consequence, Mrs. Pittman (née Elsie Goldsack) and Miss A. M. Yorke were given a walk-over in the Ladies' Doubles by Miss Dearman and Miss Nancy Margaret Lyle, while the Mixed Doubles was won by C.R.D. Tuck and Miss Peggy Scriven, who were conceded a walk-over by Daniel Prenn, the ex-German Davis Cup player, and Miss Dearman. — Reuter.

Miss Kathleen Stammers, conqueror of Dorothy Round, beat Miss Margaret Scriven, a former champion, by 6-2, 6-2, to win the women's singles title. — Reuter.

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Last Thursday night, while the local police authorities were secretly engaged in endeavouring to trace the men who in a shorter period than 48 hours committed three armed robberies in the Colony and decamped with over \$2,400 in jewellery and money, 10 men, armed with revolvers and daggers, made a forced entry into a house in Pak Tau village, Nam Tau district, which is separated from British territory by a rivulet. They held up the inmates, ransacked the house and, taking the owner's youngest son with them, decamped with over \$1,000 in cash and jewellery.

It appears that the owner, Lam Chow, was awakened at about 11 p.m. by the noise of the main door of his house being forced. Ten armed men entered and threatened the whole family with pistols and daggers. Lam Chow, however, managed to elude his captors, and, making a dash for the open door, fled to the house of his neighbour.

The robbers, fearing that he would bring the whole village upon them, hurriedly ransacked the house and, out of revenge, took Lam Chow's youngest son with them. (Continued on Page 24)

— Reuter.

ARMED ROBBERS KIDNAP BABY OUT OF REVENGE

Householder Held Up At Pistol Point

OUTRAGE ON BORDER

SPECULATORS BUSY ON EXCHANGE

Intervention Of Swiss Authorities

London, Yesterday.

Speculators, encouraged by the proximity of the French elections and the Swiss referendum, are screwing up courage to begin another raid on the Swiss franc and, later, the guilder. The movement has already assumed fair proportions, but is not fully reflected on the foreign exchanges owing to the intervention of the Swiss authorities.

The action of the Swiss National Bank in raising the discount rate and sending a letter to the other Swiss banks requesting them to help to put a stop to speculation harmful to the franc, is interpreted by speculators as indicating that the Swiss authorities regard the foreign exchanges owing to the intervention of the Swiss authorities.

— Reuter.

A fire broke out in the kitchen of the ground floor of No. 88 Des Voeux Road Central about 1.50 this morning. The floor is occupied by a ratan and bamboo shop, which was quickly ablaze. The fire engines were soon on the scene and had the fire under control in half an hour. There were no casualties. The extent of the damage is at present unknown.

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WEDDING POSTPONED

Bridegroom Taken Suddenly Ill

Mr. A. Gorbalhoff, who was to

have been married at the Union

Church, Kennedy Road, yesterday

afternoon, was suddenly taken ill

and had to postpone his wedding.

It has now been fixed for next

Wednesday.

SPANISH CABINET RESIGNS

Madrid, Yesterday.—The Cabinet

has resigned in accordance with

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Lerroux, of carrying out a Cabinet

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Frozen Morse

By HAROLD WESTON

Gwen James, the post missress of Worsley Cross, looked up from the cleaning of her silver. She paused and listened. It was unlikely that, close on midnight, anyone would be trying to slip the catch of the Post Office window.

She laid a squat silver egg-cup inside on the newspaper protecting her tablecloth; and took up a silver vase, daubing its tall, slender surface with a pink paste.

There it was again. She laid the tall vase beside the squat egg-cup and rose, every movement of her body expressing the indignation she felt. She threw open the door.

"Who's there?" she demanded.

She heard the click of metal and caught the gleam of a revolver beside the wire netting on the counter.

"Who is it?" she asked angrily.

A faint shaft of moonlight struck in through the window and fell on Gwen's close-cropped grey hair, lighting up her intelligence forehead and bright, clear-blue eyes. It fell also on the blurred form of a tall man, slouching in the shadows. He wore a cloth cap, a size too small for him; and his hand, in a rubber glove, gripped the butt of an old army revolver.

"I know who you are," Fred Irwin. Lower that revolver or I shall cry for help."

In answer his arm loomed across the faint moonbeams, and the window closed with a muffled bang.

"Get back into your room!" The revolver pressed against her shoulder, forcing her step by step backward into the light.

As yet she was not frightened. She thought of the pilferings the small shopkeepers had complained of for the last month. She thought of Fred Irwin's bad record as a malingerer at school, as a bully in his early youth with the butcher, as a ruffian in his manhood. She thought of the rumours of his departure for America. And she thought of the money for the Old Age Pensions which lay in her safe.

"Get back in the other room." "Listen to me, Fred Irwin..."

"Get back in the other room." He dug the revolver heavily against her, bruising the rib.

She was forced to cross the threshold, to walk away from the telegraph, which would have notified the Sorting Office at Laversham from the telephone which would have brought the young Sergeant of Police hot-foot to her aid. She had to stand in the darkness beside her table, listening to the approaching cart whose passing would be the signal for her doom.

Again her thoughts sharpened through fear, as she stared at the silver vases and egg-cups, their edges blurred in the gloom.

"These are of value too," she said. If only she could distract his attention so that he would move from the door!

"Not to me," he replied drily, without moving. "They'd trace me by them."

The cart was passing The Crown Inn now, just about to turn into the far side of the village square. She heard the carter crack his whip twice. So he was drunk. Her heart sank. Everything seemed to be against her. And then a wild scheme came to her for branding Cad Irwin as her murderer and the thief of the Old Age pensions.

"Look here, young Irwin, if you go away at once I'll promise to say nothing about this."

"I'll see you don't," he said.

She repressed a shudder. "You've not been to prison yet. You've got a chance to keep out..."

"I'm not going to prison. I've read books, I have. It's Ted Larmer who's going to go to this job."

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SHORT STORY

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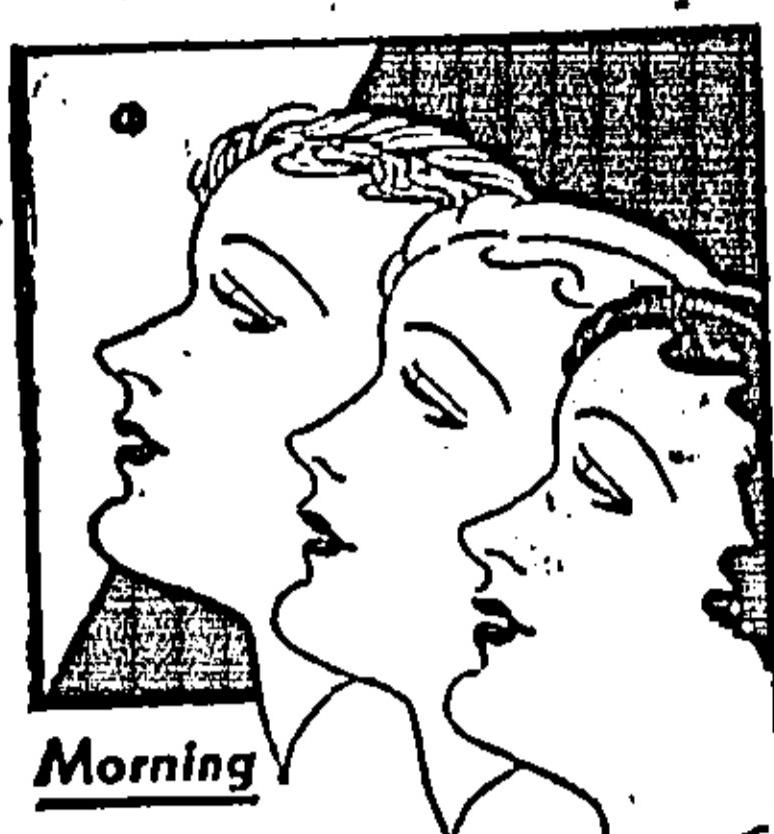
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CURLS TO TRIUMPH THIS SEASON

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The chief point about this new coiffure is that the cap-like strands of hair on the crown of the head are left free to take comfortably any sort of headwear and the hair will remain as trim and neat when the headwear is taken off as before it was put on. At the same time the brow can be firmly gripped by a cluster of loose curls and a looped fringe arranged across the forehead to meet a cluster of back curls. The head is circled by three or four rows of neat curls, giving rather the effect of a swathed bandage. There is no parting of any sort and, as I have indicated, the crown of the head is left free of waves or curls.

Though curls are to triumph this season, they are lightly arranged and certainly will not run riot all over the head and neck as they did a few months ago. The head is now to take on a classical, sculptured form. And in all styles, the claim should be that the actual head looks small!

STEP-LADDERS

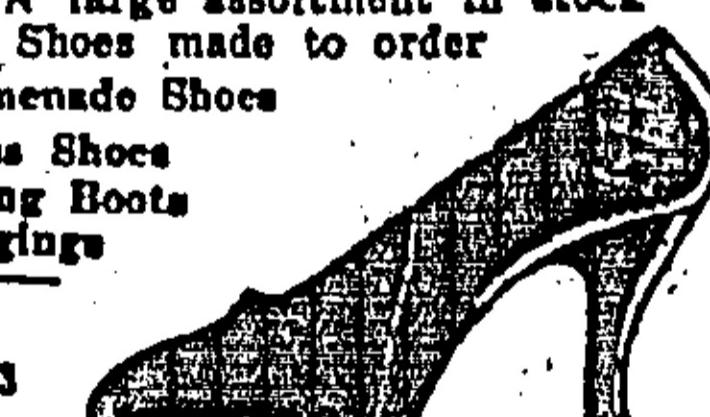
Rubber Tread Prevents Slipping

STEP-LADDERS are in use a great deal during spring cleaning, and accidents sometimes occur through the ladder slipping unexpectedly. It is a good plan to use up any old scraps of rubber which may have been saved from time to time to cover the feet of the ladder and thus eliminate all fear of accidents caused by slipping. At the same time a firm grip on the steps themselves can be assured by fixing a rubber tread on each step. The rubber can be tacked on with small nails. Old hot-water bottles cut up are splendid for this purpose, or pieces of old rubber aprons.

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First the face is well coated with the lemon cream, which, made from the juice of fresh lemons, actually bleaches the skin while it cleanses. When this has been removed, the masque is spread on evenly and fairly thickly, and left for about a quarter of an hour.

As it dries, it tightens up the slack muscles, firms the contours, and purifies the skin, so that when it is removed, the face looks miraculously younger; almost as though a wand had been passed over it.

The best way of removing the masque is to dab gently with a pad of cotton-wool soaked in the special oil. This is composed of the finest ingredients, has a direct effect on lines and wrinkles and is beautifully softening to the entire face. So pure is it that it actually whitens the skin, instead of, like some cruder oils, making it yellow.

GLAZE ON BLUE SERGE

Removed With Vinegar And Water

SUITS and costumes of blue serge that have become shiny with hard wear may be improved with the following treatment.

First brush them well, and then sponge the shiny parts with hot water and vinegar in equal proportion. If this does not remove the glaze let the surface dry and then rub it lightly with fine emery paper. Brush off the dust, lay a damp cloth over the serge, and press it well with a hot iron.



DISADVANTAGES OF SPRING

Appearance Of Spots And Pimples

CLEANING LOTION

CROCUSES and violets are not the only harbingers of spring. Skin blemishes such as annoying spots and small pimples frequently make their appearance at this time of the year. For those who need it, there is a clearing lotion which actually does clear.

You, perhaps, may be annoyed with small pimple on the chin, and are wondering how to conceal it. Why not get rid of it instead? It is much more satisfactory.

THIN JAW LINE

Massaging & Exercises Fills It Out

THE thin jaw line between the ears and front of the neck can easily be filled out by massaging the neck with almond oil or rich skin food. Then practise this exercise: Clasp the hands behind the head and let the head drop forward. Raise slowly, pressing back against the hands. Practise also a few rotary neck movements daily.



CURTAIN TIES OF COLOURED BEADS

EFFECTIVE curtain ties may be made from strings of large coloured beads. The beads need not be threaded close together, but may be spaced out on a fine cord either by means of knots or by small intermediate beads. Ties of this kind always look clean and fresh, and they add a pleasantly original touch to window decoration. Broken strings from which a few beads have been lost, or old ones that have been discarded, may be turned to good account for this purpose.

PATTERNEED SILK BLOUSE

A LARGE square of patterned silk with a wide border can be utilised in making a blouse. Fold cornerwise, make an opening for the head, and stitch the corners over the arms to make short sleeves. A band of material to match your skirt can be slotted through the two corners back and front of the waist for a belt. Wear a matching silk slip beneath.

HAIR SHAMPOO

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SMALL CROWD SEES SOUTH CHINA'S KOTEWALL CUP SUCCESS

NAVAL SUPERIORITY IN FIRST HALF

BUT FORWARDS HESITATE IN FRONT OF GOAL

CHINESE DESERVING WINNERS

A SURPRISINGLY small attendance was present at Caroline Hill yesterday to witness the second game in the Kotewall Cup soccer competition, and were given full value by a splendid exhibition of fast football by both South China and the Navy, the Chinese gaining the upper hand late in the game to record a deserved win by two goals to nil.

The Navy should have established a substantial lead by the interval, but although supplied with countless splendid openings, the inside forwards refused to shoot — this with Wong Wah-kai showing decidedly shaky form in dealing with even loose balls! In the second half, the Chinese adopted a different style of play, and it was the Navy's turn to undergo severe pressure.

South China made several important team alterations. Wong Wah-kai substituted for Wong Wing; Lim Tak-po was played at centre-half, with Leung In-chan at right-half; and Lau Kai-wing came in at inside-right in place of Tam Kong-pak, while Lee Shek-yan occupied the outside-left berth.

Yesterday's Results At

A Glance

KOTEWALL CUP—SECOND ROUND

S. CHINA 2 NAVY 0

CLUB 2 E. LANCS 2

INDIAN R. C. 1 S. CHINA 1

YESTERDAY'S GOALSCORERS

KOTEWALL CHARITY CUP

Feng King Cheong (S. China) 1

Tai Shui Wan (S. China) 1

FIRST DIVISION

Rodger (Club) (own goal) 1

Strange (Club) 1

Fowler (Club) 1

Sandford (East Lancs) 1

SECOND DIVISION

Setters (Lincolns) 1

LEAGUE TABLES TO DATE

FIRST DIVISION

Goals

P. W. D. F. A. P. C.

S. China "A" 24 18 4 2 70 30 40

Police 22 11 6 5 68 40 28

Club 24 10 9 5 63 48 29

Recreo 22 11 4 7 61 46 26

Navy 23 10 5 6 45 32 25

S. China "B" 23 10 5 8 48 50 23

Athletic 21 8 7 6 62 39 23

Lincolns 22 10 2 10 45 44 22

Fusiliers 21 7 7 7 43 38 21

E. Lancs 22 6 6 11 44 48 18

S. Joseph 22 6 3 13 25 51 15

Artillery 23 6 2 15 37 75 14

Kowloon 24 2 4 18 27 65 6

SECOND DIVISION

Lincolns 21 19 2 0 66 25 38

East Lancs 22 17 4 1 66 19 36

Navy 21 13 2 6 64 39 28

Engineers 21 13 7 2 57 35 28

South China 21 9 4 5 46 40 21

Fusiliers 20 8 7 5 53 40 21

Artillery 21 7 11 3 38 50 17

Athletic 19 7 11 1 31 47 15

Club 22 5 12 5 39 63 15

Eastern 21 7 13 1 36 57 15

University 18 4 13 1 31 45 9

Kowloon 20 2 16 2 14 83 6

THIRD DIVISION

East Lancs 20 16 2 2 82 22 34

Lincolns 20 13 4 3 64 25 29

R.A.S.C. 20 13 5 2 49 38 28

R.A.M.C. 20 11 6 3 42 35 25

Fusiliers 20 12 6 2 57 34 26

Air Force 20 7 8 4 35 37 20

Recreo 20 7 10 3 40 44 17

R.A.O.C. 20 7 12 1 41 50 15

INTER-SCHOLASTIC UNION

Meeting At Chinese Y.M.C.A.

ATHLETIC AND AQUATIC SPORTS TO BE HELD

Representatives from over 20 schools in the Colony attended the second general meeting of the Hong Kong Inter-Scholastic Union at the Chinese Young Man's Christian Association last night.

The meeting, over which Mr. Young Yat-fol presided, decided to hold an athletic sports meeting at Caroline Hill on May 22, 23, and 24, and an aquatic sports meeting at North Point in June.

It was estimated that the total expenses would amount to \$500 for both meetings and, as the Union has only \$100 in its account, an appeal for further subscriptions was made by Mr. Leung Shu-on, the Vice-Chairman.

The following officials were elected for the ensuing years:—
Messrs. Young Yat-fol (chairman), Leung Shu-on (vice-chairman), Choung Chi-koeng (secretary), Choah Fei-let (assistant secretary), Choung Lan-chau, Au Sung-sang, So Chi-kan, Yuen Kum-han, and Wai Lam-ton (committee).

With the exception of Wong Wah-kai, who was unsteady in dealing with even the simplest of shots, the Chinese defence was rock-like in its calm manner of dealing with the majority of the attacks set up by the Navy, very few efforts being allowed to reach Wong.

Lee Tin Sang Shines

Lee Tin-sang again showed what a fine back he is, constantly easing the pressure in the first half with terrific first-time clearances up the field, and also by splendid head-work.

Lim Tak-po worked hard amongst the halves, and was prominent with many fine passes to either wing. In defence all three halves played hard, robust football, clean and prompt tackling being a feature of a very sound intermediate line.

Effective Half-Backs

The halves were particularly effective by their quickness in advancing with an attack — a notable failure with the Navy halves, who were always inclined to hang too far back.

Tse Kwai-shing was the best forward on view for South China, again displaying cleverness in breaking away unmarked for a pass. He was closely watched by Bowers and Moss, and found the latter too tenacious for him at times, but nevertheless, he delighted with some sparkling runs down the line, and many fine centres and shots at goal.

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TO-DAY'S LEAGUE PROGRAMME

POLICE AND NAVY TO DO BATTLE

ATHLETIC ENTERTAIN LINCOLNS

Three fairly even clashes in the First Division will feature this afternoon's League soccer programme, and, in order to make sure of the runners-up position, the Police must beat the Navy, who will probably be fielding the same team which lost to South China yesterday in the Kotewall Cup.

The Athletic entertain the Lincolns on the Club ground, and if they display anything like their form against the Recreio last Wednesday, spectators can rest assured of an enjoyable afternoon.

Lincolns In Bad Way

The Lincolns are a very fast team, but for some unknown reason have sadly deteriorated, and this season, have not produced anything like their match-winning form of last year.

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The following is the forecast of to-day's programme:—

FIRST DIVISION

Athletic v LINCOLNS

Club Grd., 4.45 p.m.

Police v POLICE

Kowloon Grd., 4.45 p.m.

S. Joseph's v ARTILLERY

Caroline Hill, 4.45 p.m.

SECOND DIVISION

Athletic v South China

Club Grd., 3.30 p.m.

Kowloon v EASTERN

Kowloon, 3.30 p.m.



Crocker, left, the Navy custodian, about to effect a clearance in yesterday's Kotewall Cup game against South China, which the latter won by two clear goals at Caroline Hill. (King's Studio).

FUSILIERS SOCCER CUP FINAL

"D" COMPANY WIN REPLAY BY TWO CLEAR GOALS

The replay for the Inter-Company Football Shield between "A" Company and "D" Company of the Royal Welch Fusiliers was won by the latter at Sookunpoo yesterday, by two goals to nil after a very exciting struggle.

LINCOLNS SNATCH LAST MINUTE WIN FROM SOUTH CHINA

SETTERS DECIDES CLOSE GAME

CHINESE DEFENCE GIVES GRAND DISPLAY

The Lincolns snatched a last-minute victory in their Second Division soccer clash with South China at Caroline Hill yesterday, following an exciting game which produced some good football, winning by the only goal of the match scored by Setters in the very last minute.

ROXBERRY OUTSTANDING

Roxberry in the defence was the outstanding player for "A" Coy. His first-time clearances under pressure being a delightful feature of the game.

Gilchrist, in the half-back line, was a tireless worker throughout and kept his forwards well supplied with passes.

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K.C.C. LAWN TENNIS TOURNEY

To-day's Fixtures

The Kowloon Cricket Club annual tennis tournament will be resumed to-day at 3 p.m. when the following matches are down for decision.

Men's Doubles Handicap
W. C. Hung and F. Gross (-10) v G. C. Burnett and F. Goodwin (scr.)

A. E. Perry and D. Orr (-3.0) v L. Jack and W. M. Gilting (-3.6)

(4.30 p.m.)

Mixed Doubles Handicap
V. H. Freeman and Mrs. Hosford (scr.) v D. S. Green and Miss Griffith (-3.0)

W. C. Hung and Mrs. Fincher (-3.6) v G. C. Burnett and Miss O. Dahlberg (-3.0)

Diana ... 10.30.32 3
Rolls ... 10.34.29 4
Slade ... 10.30.13 5
Dorothy ... 10.27.59 1

"II" Class—Started at 15.10

Pat ... 16.22.43 7

"Y" Class—Started at 15.00

Robena ... 10.30.35 1
Wideon ... 10.32.33 2

Zephyr ... 10.31.04 2

"G" Class—Started at 15.05

Gael ... 10.35.56 4
Toynette ... 10.38.33 1
Eunice ... 10.38.52 2
Joan ... 10.42.22 15

Sirius ... 10.38.54 3

"II" Class—Started at 15.10

Diana ... 10.30.32 3
Rolls ... 10.34.29 4
Slade ... 10.30.13 5
Dorothy ... 10.27.59 1

Fixtures

The "D" Coy. and "A" Coy. soccer teams which met in the final of the Royal Welch Fusiliers Inter-Company challenge trophy last Tuesday at Sookunpoo. The game resulted in a draw, both sides scoring twice after extra time had been played. The final was replayed yesterday and resulted in a win for "D" Company by two clear goals.—(King's Studio).



S. A. Rumjahn, left, and G. R. M. Ricketts photographed before the Colony lawn tennis final last Wednesday which Rumjahn won in straight sets to annex his fourth Colony title

JUBILEE HOLIDAYS

THE KING GOD BLESSES HIM

QUEEN'S THEATRE

"Possible" Recorded On Day Of Bowls Surprises

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POLICE FARE MISERABLY

CRAIGENGOWER "B" WIN BY 36

On their own green the Craigengower Cricket Club "B" team beat the Police Recreation Club by 26 shots.

Scores:	P.R.C.
C.C.C.	S. Nolan
G. Duncan	W. Clark
W. T. Brightman	G. Perkins
W. Gill	E. G. Post
E. el Arculli	(Skip) 27 (Skip) 12
J. Soares	W. McLeod
M. Medina	C. Dowman
W. V. Field	J. Shepherd
J. Cavanagh	W. E. Hollands
(Skip) 28 (Skip) 16	
A. Coelho	W. S. Dall
M. A. Souza	T. Talton
A. A. Lewis	J. C. Fender
C. S. Rosselot	G. C. Moss
(Skip) 21 (Skip) 12	
76	40

RECREIO WIN AT VALLEY

CIVIL SERVANTS OUTCLASSED

At the Valley the Civil Service Cricket Club were trounced by the Recreio by 21 shots.

Scores:	Recreio
C.S.C.C.	L. J. Silva
P. S. Knight	L. F. Xavier
S. Alderman	C. E. Marques
E. Eccleshall	H. Alves
J. Hollidge	(Skip) 12 (Skip) 28
T. Armstrong	J. Noronha
J. Gellatley	C. H. Busto
J. F. McGowan	F. V. Ribeiro
A. Grimmitt	C. G. Silva
(Skip) 13 (Skip) 26	
E. Simmonds	A. Remedios
C. Strange	D. C. Alves
J. Deakin	J. G. Ozorio
F. Jones	F. M. X. Silva
(Skip) 26 (Skip) 18	
Total	61 72

Second Division

CIVIL SERVANTS TIE WITH 56

Recreio Held On Own Green

At Kowloon yesterday the Civil Service Cricket Club tied with the Recreio.

Scores:	C.S.C.C.
Recreio	H. F. Harper
L. A. V. Ribeiro	W. J. Burling
C. A. Lopes	H. F. Westlake Jr
J. J. Basto	H. Westlake
(Skip) 15 (Skip) 20	
C. E. Xavier	H. Major
C. R. Pereira	E. W. Hamilton
A. V. Barros	L. Whant
E. Remedios	R. R. Davies
(Skip) 32 (Skip) 16	
F. A. Xavier	B. A. Mansell
J. F. Ribeiro	W. Buller
J. M. Rosario	D. Williams
F. X. Soares	A. O. Brown
(Skip) 9 (Skip) 20	
56	56

CRICKETERS BEAT FOOTBALLERS

Hampton's Rink Decides The Issue

At Kowloon yesterday the Kowloon Cricket Club defeated the Hong Kong Football Club by 6 shots.

Scores:	H.K.C.
T. Carr	F. P. Anslow
S. J. Houghton	P. C. Morgan
W. Hyde	A. Humphrey
H. Hampton	J. Russell
(Skip) 26 (Skip) 16	
W. Mulcahy	A. Steven
C. Fletcher	A. McKellar
J. P. Robinson	E. J. Edwards
H. Overy	A. MacFarlane
(Skip) 13 (Skip) 16	
M. N. Rakusen	E. Tuck
W. W. Hirst	G. S. Gravor
L. E. Lammert	N. Currie
J. Tacchi	A. Brookbank
(Skip) 18 (Skip) 10	
Total	67 51

Sunday Herald Sports Diary

TO-DAY

Athletics—	Club do Recreio Meeting
Football—First Division—	Caroline Hill, 4.45 p.m.
Athletic v Lincoln	(Club, 4.45 p.m.)
Navy v Police	(Kowloon, 4.45 p.m.)
St. Joseph's v Royal Artillery	(Caroline Hill, 4.45 p.m.)
Second Division—	
Athletic v South China	(Club, 3.30 p.m.)
Kowloon v Eastern	(Kowloon, 3.30 p.m.)
Golf—	
Royal Hong Kong Golf Club Ladies' Section L.G.U. Monthly Medal Competition—	
Prison Warders v R. Engineers C. and P. O. v Dockyard Police Garrison Sergeants v Central Police Water Police v St. Patrick's	(7 p.m.)

TUESDAY

Snooper—Steel Coulson League—	
Prison Warders v R. Engineers C. and P. O. v Dockyard Police Garrison Sergeants v Central Police Water Police v St. Patrick's	(7 p.m.)

CRAIGENGOWER LOSE AT HOME

Taikoo Win On Two Of Three Rinks

At the Valley the Taikoo Recreation Club beat Craigengower by 16 shots.

Scores:	Taikoo
C.C.C.	L. J. Silva
A. Rhodes	T. Swain
W. Phelps	S. Pollock
A. Kitcheill	D. Peoples
W. Ward	G. H. Stewart
(Skip) 17 (Skip) 21	
W. English	J. J. Whyte
W. Atkins	F. K. Pattinson
H. W. Randall	W. Cunningham
Y. Abbasi	J. C. Chalmers
(Skip) 11 (Skip) 24	
J. W. Leonard	A. W. Norrie
Dr. N. D. Karajia	R. Wright
Dr. Fernando	J. C. Polson
W. K. Way	T. F. Stainton
(Skip) 22 (Skip) 21	
50	66

ELECTRICIANS AGAIN LOSE

Sheriff's Rink Shines For K.B.G.C.

At Kowloon yesterday the Kowloon Bowling Green Club defeated the Hong Kong Electric Recreation Club by 23 shots.

Scores:	H.K.E.R.C.
K.B.G.C.	J. MacDonald
L. A. R. Duncan	A. Tarbuck
J. Charlton	W. Funnel
G. E. F. Thompson	L. de Rome
(Skip) 21 (Skip) 18	
G. Chambers	V. Sorby
W. E. Hale	T. F. Saunderson
C. Hosking	J. Sloan
J. L. Rapley	A. F. Paul
(Skip) 16 (Skip) 17	
J. Meyer	G. T. Padgett
D. W. Watterson	J. Sainsbury
M. Henderson	H. S. McKay
G. H. Sheriff	W. B. Muskett
(Skip) 31 (Skip) 15	
Total	68 45

YACHTSMEN LOSE AT VALLEY

Police Successes On Every Rink

At Happy Valley the Police Recreation Club beat the Yacht Club by 17 shots.

Scores:	Yacht Club
Police	A. Stevenson
W. Headridge	W. A. Cornell
W. Cameron	S. Logan
W. McHardy	A. W. Brown
(Skip) 16 (Skip) 15	J. L. Shellshank
A. G. Channing	G. S. Archibald
A. J. Johnson	J. G. Morrison
T. Hunter	J. Bentley
W. S. Glendinning	B. E. Maughan
(Skip) 27 (Skip) 18	
A. Wright	E. S. Abraham
J. McKay	A. Nasim
J. R. McWalter	A. T. Hamilton
A. W. Smith	J. W. Bonnar
(Skip) 24 (Skip) 17	

DOROTHY ROUND'S BAD LUCK

Injured Leg Causes Defeat

PERRY TO MEET AUSTIN IN BOURNEMOUTH FINAL

London, Yesterday.

A sensation was caused yesterday during the Bournemouth Hard Court tennis championship when Miss Dorothy Round, the Wimbledon champion and Bournemouth holder, was unexpectedly defeated in the semi-final round by Miss Kathleen Stammers by 7-9, 6-2, 6-1.

Miss Round was suffering from an injured right leg which considerably handicapped her. She did not attempt any wide shots.

Miss Margaret Scriven qualified to meet Miss Stammers in the final, after beating Miss S. Noel by 6-8,

8-6, 6-3 after the latter had held two match points.

Fred Perry, the Wimbledon champion and holder of the Bournemouth title for the past three years, beat Daniel Prenn, of Germany, by 6-4, 6-2, 6-4, and will now meet Bunny Austin, who defeated the South African star, Norman Farquharson, in the final round.—Reuter.

CHAMPIONS TO MEET IN GOLF FINAL

Holder Eliminated At Hollinwell

London, Yesterday.

The quarter-finals and semi-finals of the English Amateur Golf Championship produced several surprises yesterday.

Stanley Lunt, the holder, was defeated in the semi-final by John Woollam, the 1933 champion, and Eric Fiddian, the Walker Cup player, entered the final by defeating Craddock Hartopp, a very promising newcomer.

John Woollam, of Hooton, Cheshire, the 1933 winner, will meet Eric Fiddian of Stourbridge, the 1932 holder, in the final to-day at Hollinwell.

The following were the results of the quarter and semi-final rounds:

Stanley Lunt (holder) beat Sutherland by one up.

John Woollam beat Gibbs 3 and 2.

Eric Fiddian beat Thompson one up.

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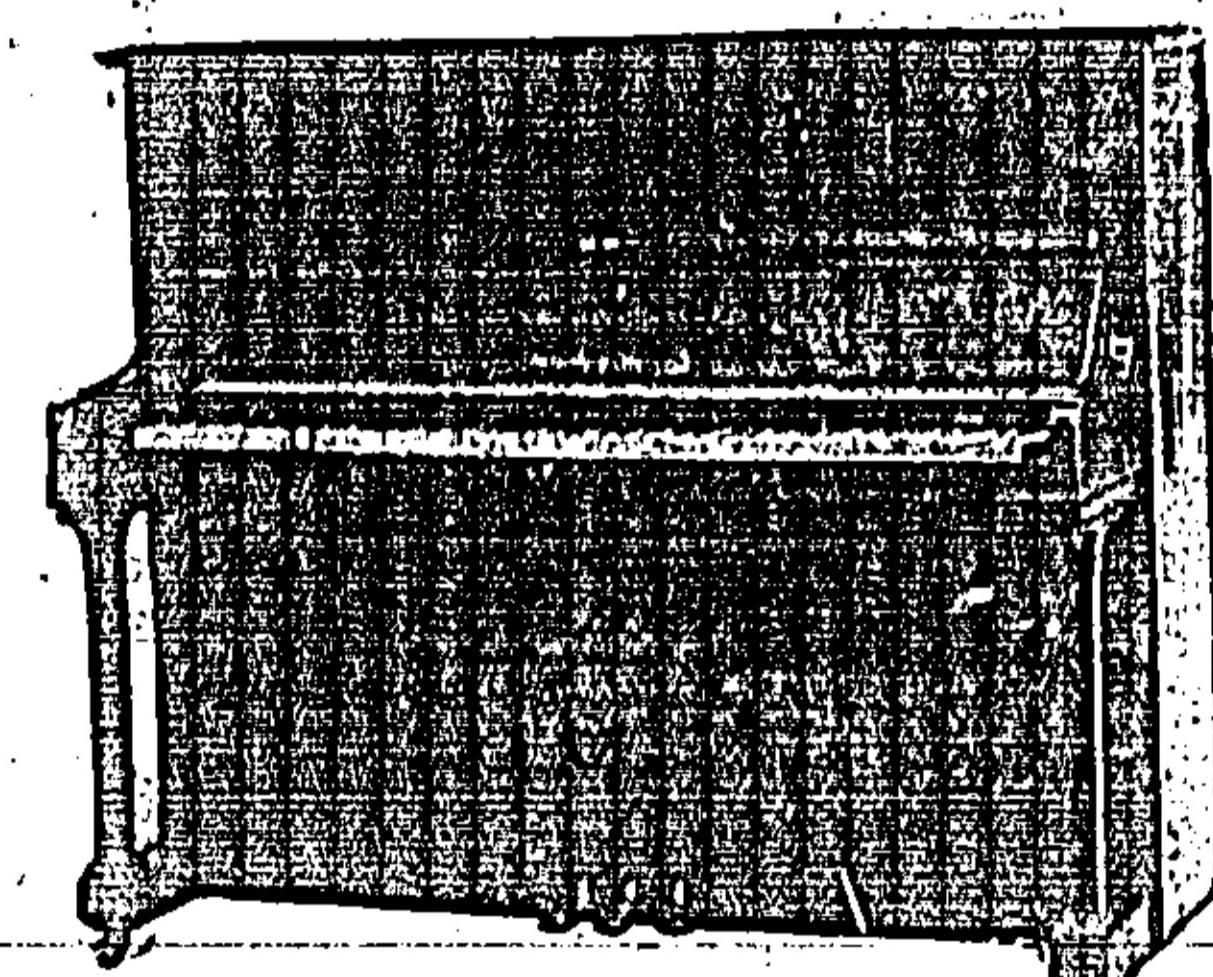
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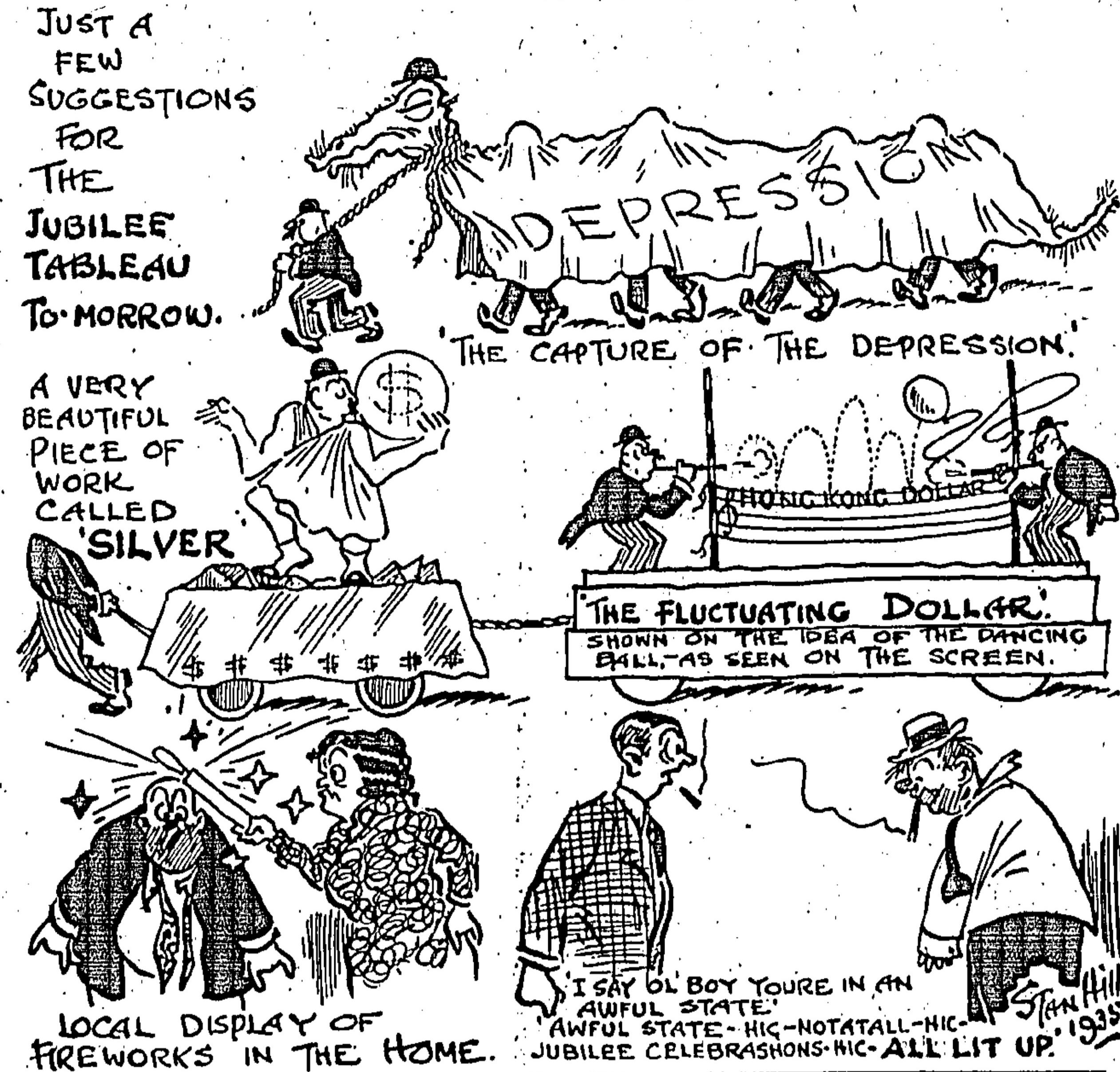
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JUBILEE TABLEAU SUGGESTIONS**LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES**

Only one public holiday has been declared for Hong Kong in connection with the King's Jubilee tomorrow. Tuesday has not been declared a holiday.

The Violet-Peel Health Centre, at Johnston Road, Wan Chai, is to be opened by Lady Peel a week tomorrow at 5 p.m.

Mr. W. L. McKenzie, Secretary of the Hong Kong Telephone Company, left for Home on Friday by the R.M.S. Empress of Russia. He is travelling via Canada for his holiday.

As from to-morrow the air mail rates to Great Britain, via Imperial Airways, will be reduced to letter \$0.60 per ½ oz., and postcard each \$0.32. Correspondence for this service must be clearly marked "Via Imperial Airways."

A Tea Dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel to-day at 4.30 p.m. Half-hourly bus services operate every Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

A very successful Jumble Sale was held in the hall of the Union Church yesterday afternoon. Quite a number were at the door long before the sale was opened and many useful articles were bought at trifling prices.

Unless cause is shown to the contrary within three months of May 1, the name of the Lee Nung Co. Ltd., will be struck off the Register and the company dissolved.

It is notified that at the expiration of three months from April 29, the name of the On Wo Estates, Ltd., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the list and the company dissolved.

It is notified that the name of the Ning Young Land Investment Company, Ltd., has been struck off the Register.

It is notified for public information that the Old Botanic Garden will be open to the public till 11 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday.

His Excellency the Governor has expressed the hope that all places of religious worship will hold a special service of commemoration of the Silver Jubilee of His Majesty the King on May 12, 1935, or will commemorate the Jubilee in their usual services on that day.

Inspector John McLellan, a popular officer in the Hong Kong Police Force, left for England on retirement yesterday by the s.s. Ranchi after nearly 22 years' service. Born in 1890, he joined the Force in November, 1913, being promoted Sergeant on August 8, 1922, Sub-Inspector on October 1, 1925, and Inspector on August 31, 1933. His most recent post was Divisional Inspector East.

SNATCHER NEATLY CAUGHT

Two Chinese Youths Commended

SIX MONTHS' HARD LABOUR FOR THIEF

To-morrow the General Post Office will be open from 8 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. for the sale of stamps and all other business except Money Orders and Parcels. All Branch Post Offices will be entirely closed.

The Rev. N. V. Halward, Priest-in-charge of the Kowloon Tong Anglican Church, is proceeding Home on leave next Friday. During his absence, the Rev. L. L. Nash, Chaplain of the Diocesan Boys' School, and Mr. George Shee will look after the welfare of the congregation in connection with Church matters.

The Eastern Extension Telegraph Co., in association with Cable and Wireless Ltd., are offering special rates for social or commercial plain language letter telegrams during Jubilee week. The minimum flat rate in H.K. \$8.25 per message of 10 words, longer messages being charged for proportionately. The concession began operation yesterday and will conclude next Saturday.

Mrs. Gardner, proprietress of the Harbour View Hotel, Kowloon, made a report to the police yesterday to the effect that between 8.30 and 10.30 p.m. on Friday an unknown person entered the hotel and stole jewellery, money and other property, to a total value of \$74, from various rooms.

Mr. George William Waite, a retired printer, who died intestate at the Canossa Hospital on April 30, 1935, at the age of 59 years, left nominal estate sworn under \$100,000. Letters of Administration have been granted to his widow, Isabel Faith Waite, of No. 99a, Waterton Road, Kowloon.

The forthcoming marriage is announced of Siegfried Lohmann, clerk, of No. 28, Lyceum Building, Chatham Road, Kowloon, to Mary Ellen Rich, residing at the St. Francis Hotel, Hong Kong.

News has been received of the death in Vancouver on January 13, from blood-poisoning, of Mr. Walter Fred Knapton, aged 44, a member of the staff of the China Mail at the outbreak of the Great War in 1914. Serving throughout the War, Mr. Knapton, who was a native of Somerset, England, returned to the East, joining first the British-American Tobacco Co. in Hong Kong, and subsequently Messrs. Lever Bros., with whom he served several years in China.

Scalped tenders in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for reinforced concrete gantries in Carriage Shed," will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office until noon of Tuesday, May 14, 1935, on behalf of the Kowloon Canton Railway (British Section).

Scalped tenders in triplicate, which should be clearly marked "Tender for New Quarters for Ambulance Dresser, Sham Shui Po Fire Station," will be received at the Colonial Secretary's Office up till noon on Monday, May 20, 1935.

The China Emporium Ltd. will open to-day at 9 a.m. as usual.

A telegram addressed to Chinartco, from Shanghai, is lying at the Government Radio Station,

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TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wave length of 355 metres. (845 K.C.S.).

Vocal and Pianoforte Recital from Studio. Recorded Programme.

10-11 a.m.—A Relay of the Service from St. Joseph's Church.

Order of Service

1. Holy Mass:

(a) Kyrie (Vittadini)
(b) Sermon on "The Blessed Virgin Mary and the Rehabilitation of Womanhood" by the Rev. Father H. de Angelis.
(c) Offertory—Ave Maria (Franco)
(d) Sanctus, Benedictus and Agnus Dei, (Vittadini)

11. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament:

(a) Cibavit Eos (Rameau)
(b) Tantum Ergo (Dubois)
(c) Adoremus.

11-12.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Service from St. Paul's Church (Chinese).

12.15-2.30 p.m.—European Recorded Music.

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

Two Chopin Ballads played by Alfred Cortot.

1. Ballade in A Flat Major (Op. 47)

2. Ballade in F Minor (Op. 62)

Light Orchestral Selections

Symphonic Rhapsody on—

"I Pitch my lonely Caravan" (Coates)

"I Heard you singing" and "Bird Song at Eventide" (Coates)

Where the woods are green (Brodzky)

Gipsy Moon (Borganoff)

Policeman's Holiday (Ewing)

Parade of the Tin Soldiers (Jessel)

Love's Last Word (Cremieux)

Le Chaland Qui Passa (Blixo)

A Concert

Violin Solo—

Concerto in G Minor—Adagio (Max Bruch)

Louis Zimmernann.

Songs—

The Mocking Fairy (Besly)

The Almond Tree (Schumann)

Elsie Sudaby (Soprano)

Cello Solo—

The Garden of Sleep

The Nightingale and the Rose, Op. 2, No. 2 (Rimsky-Korsakoff)

Beatrice Harrison.

Songs—

A Fairy Story by the Fire

Now sleep the Crimson Petal (Quilter)

John McCormack (Tenor)

Pianoforte Solos—

Berceuse (Chopin)

Minuetto from Suite (Suk, Op. 21)

Ignaz Friedmann.

Songs—

(a) Jock the Fiddler

(b) The Ballad-Monger "Songs of the Fair" (Easthope Martin)

(a) Fairlings; (b) Come to the Fair ("Songs of the Fair") (Easthope Martin)

Porcy Heming (Baritone)

The Entire Musical numbers from "Hi Wanted Adventure" sung by Bobby Howes and Company with Orchestra.

Concert Waltzes

Archibald Jolek Waltzes (arr. Debroy Somers)

Elise Waltz Redoute

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.

4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7.10-30 p.m.—European Programme.

7.30 p.m.—Orchestral Music.

Turkish March (Mozart)

Ruins of Athens—Turkish March (Beethoven)

May Night—Overture (Rimsky-Korsakoff)

Elegiac Melody (Grieg)

Summer Night on the River (Dvorak)

7.30-7.47 p.m.—A Recital by Feodor Chaliapin (Bass)

1. Credo (Gretchinoff)

2. The Creed (Arhangelsky)

3. Open to me the gates of Repentance (Wedel)

4. Prayer—Now let us Depart (Strokn)

7.47-8 p.m.—Three Violin Solos by Fritz Kreisler.

1. Thais—Meditation (Massenet)

2. Tambourin Chinois Op. 3 (Kreisler)

3. Serenade (Lehar)

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report

8.03-8.25 p.m.—Vocal Gems.

Veronique (Mussorgsky)

The New Moon (Rimberg)

8.25-8.38 p.m.—Summer Day's Suite (Eric Coates) played by the New Queen's Hall Light Orchestra.

8.38-9 p.m.—Selections by the Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

Swan Lake Ballet (Tchaikovsky)

Wedding of the Rose (Jessel)

Hobomoko—Intermezzo (Reeves)

Zampa — Overture (Herold, arr. Godfrey)

GALA NIGHTS AT THE HOTELS

Impressive Decorations In Hong Kong

NEW SODA FOUNTAIN TO MARK JUBILEE

Dance enthusiasts will be interested to hear of the special arrangements concluded by the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels for the King's Jubilee to-morrow.

Permission for an extension until two o'clock has been obtained, and, judging from the elaborate preparations, the evening will be an outstanding success. The exterior decorations of the Hong Kong Hotel will be particularly striking. The whole building will be illuminated in the national colours, while the two canopies in Pedder Street are to have immense banners bearing the Royal Arms and the inscription, "Royal Jubilee 1910 to 1935."

Although the management spared no effort they were unable to secure the services of any artists, chiefly owing to the unfavourable rate of exchange. On the other hand, and for the same reason, there will be a substantial reduction in prices. As from to-morrow it will cost only \$3 to attend the dinner dance, as contrasted with the previous price of \$6.

Coloured Tables

The tables will present a colour-fest.

Each one will be decorated with three vases of red, white and blue flowers, and the menu cards will be replicas of the two banners.

The dinner, always a subject calling for the most careful planning, could almost be described as "royal." The Grill-room will be decorated with lights of myriad hues.

Similar arrangements have been made for the Peninsula and this is expected to be an equally popular rendezvous because of the excellent facilities for watching the display in the Harbour. There will be no dancing at Repulse Bay to-morrow night as the management believe it to be too far out of town to warrant special consideration. There will, however, be a ten-dance on Tuesday afternoon.

New Soda Fountain

To-morrow the new "Moderne Soda Fountain Do Luxe" will be officially opened. It is situated on the main floor and will be operated by the Dalry Farm Co.

Many will look forward to the Waltz Contest sponsored by the Hong Kong Hotel in connection with the Fox Film "Adorable," which will open in the Roof Garden on May 19.

9.30 p.m.—From the Studio.

Miss Maria by Gomes (Soprano)

F.T.G.L. (Programme)

Mrs. Nura Kania (Pianoforte)

Programme

1. Song: Aria delle Lettre, Werther (Massenet)

2. Pianoforte Solo:—Prelude Blumenthal.

3. Song: Liebestod—Tristan and Isolde—Wagner

4. Pianoforte Solo:—Ständchen Youlfest.

5. Song—Hills La Forge. Scene ed Aria di Sicilie—Faust Gounod.

9.30-9.47 p.m.—The J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.

Memories of Tschaiikovsky (arr. Sear)

Putting the clock Back (arr. J. H. Squire)

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9.47-10 p.m.—The B.B.C. Wireless Singers.

1. O Hush thee, My Baby (Sullivan)

2. O who will O'er the down so free? (Pearl)

3. (a) Where the Bee Sucks (arr. Shaw)

(b) Come to us Join the Roundelay (Boale)

4. It was a Lover and his Lass (arr. Bridge)

10 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.

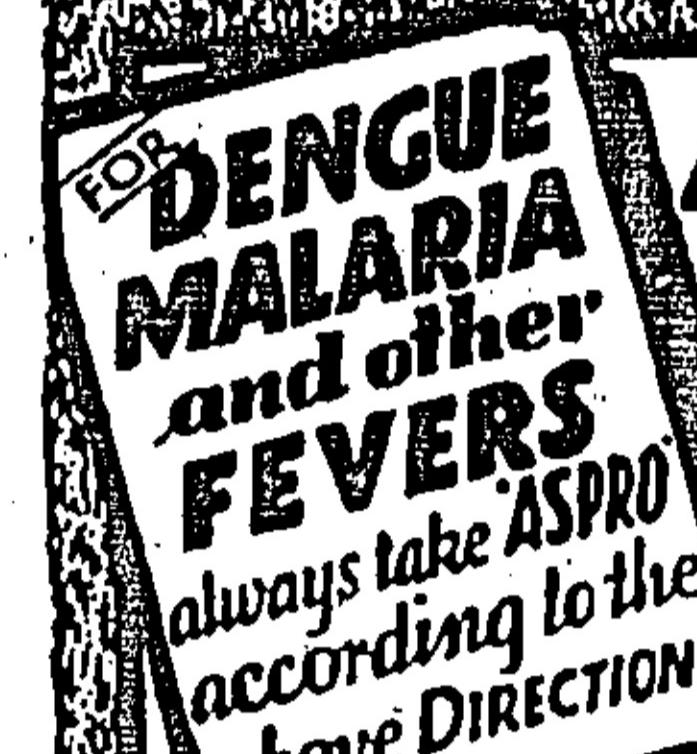
10.05-10.30 p.m.—Dance Music.

10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

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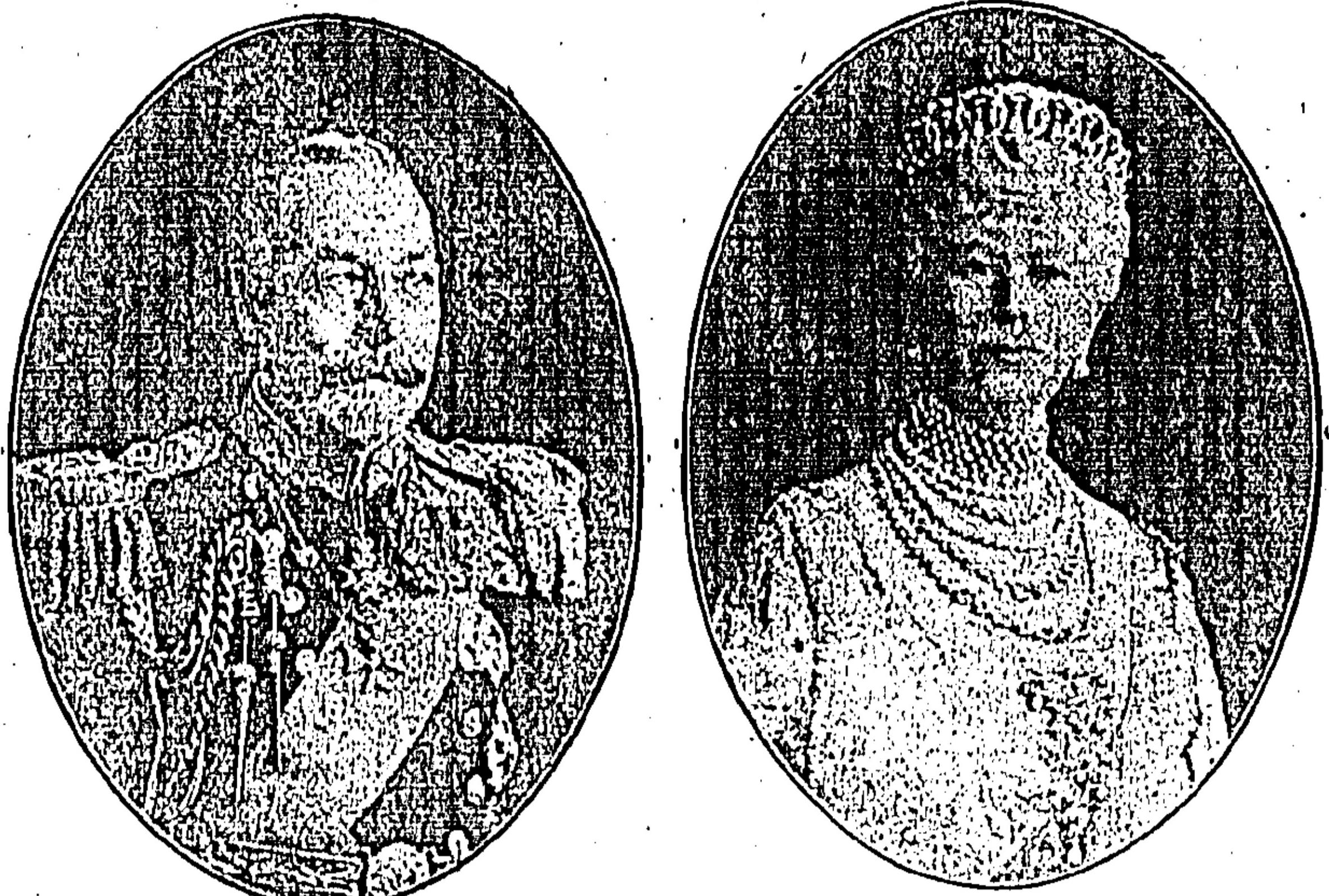
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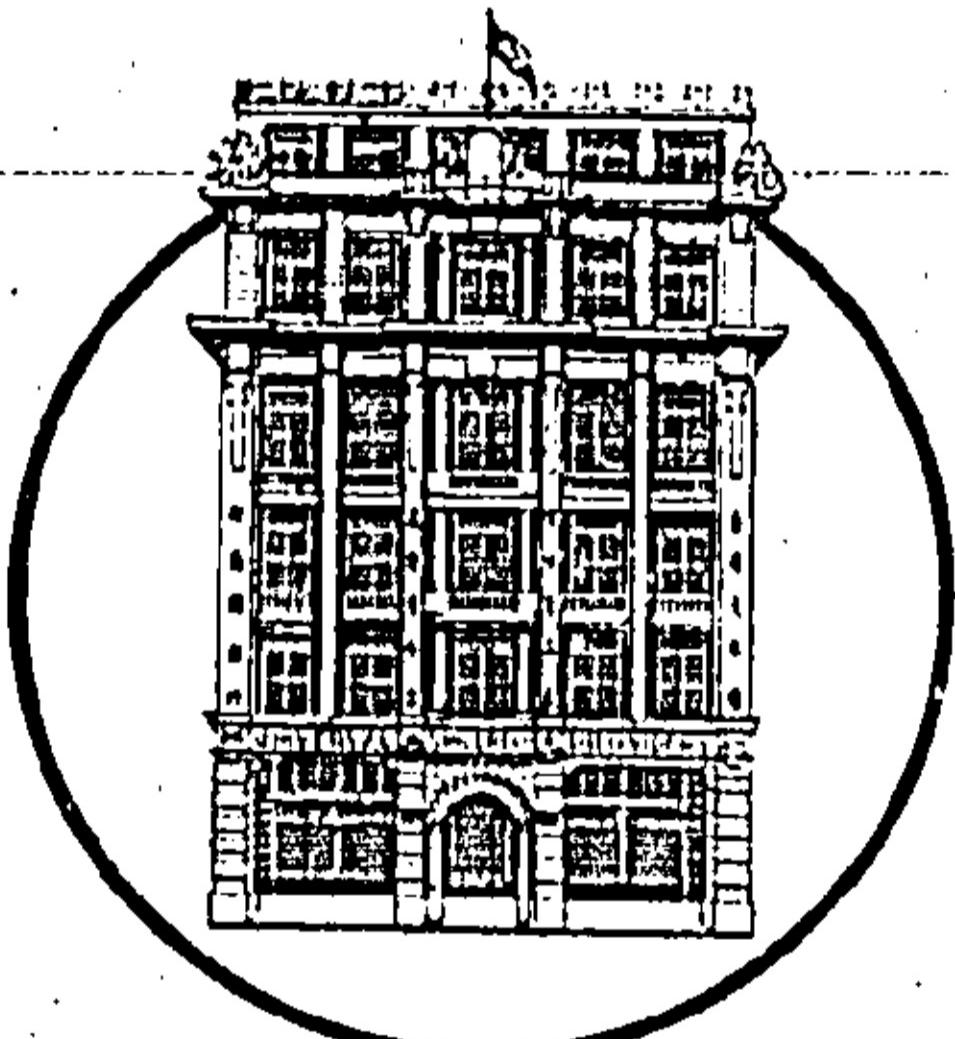
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JUBILEE TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS

Official Communiqué
From Police

LOCAL CELEBRATIONS

The following traffic arrangements have been made by the local police authorities for to-morrow Tuesday, and Wednesday, in connection with the Jubilee celebrations:

May 6, 4 p.m. Reception at Government House.

Owner driven cars will park in Kennedy Road. No car will be permitted to park in Government House Garage or ground.

Chauffeur driven cars will park on Murray Parade Ground where a special telephone to Government House will be installed. Guests requiring their cars should give the numbers of their cars to the Police Officer on duty at Government House steps.

8 p.m. Military Bands. Statue Square.

Motor vehicles will not be permitted to park in Statue Square between 7.30 p.m. and 9.30 p.m.

May 7, 9 a.m. Review at Happy Valley.

Vehicular Traffic

Vehicular traffic proceeding to the King's Jubilee Review at Happy Valley from town will go by either Queen's Road East and Gap Road or Johnston Road and Wanchai Road.

Drivers proceeding by Johnston Road and Wanchai Road will turn right on reaching Morrison Hill Road.

Owner drivers are advised to park at Morrison Hill Car Park opposite Civil Service Cricket Club. They should drive straight into the car park on reaching the Monument and walk to the ground.

Drivers who wish to park at Village Road will go past the Golf Club House and drop passengers at the Race Course main entrance.

Cars returning to town will proceed up Gap Road and Queen's Road East (There will be no troops on Queen's Road East and Gap Road between Arsenal Street and the Monument).

Gloucester Road

Between the hours of 7 a.m. and 12 noon Gloucester Road and Lockhart Road will be closed to vehicular traffic to facilitate the movement of troops.

The two car parks available are:—Morrison Hill (near the Monument); and Village Road.

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next Kennedy Road will be open to light motor traffic.

Motorists are advised to study the routes and times published in the press of the Processions being held in connection with the Silver Jubilee Celebrations, and to avoid as far as possible entering any street while a procession is passing through.

The s.s. Empress of Japan left Yokohama last Saturday afternoon. She arrives in Hong Kong at 7 a.m. on Friday and will sail at 5 o'clock the same afternoon for Manila.

Seating Arrangements For The King's Jubilee Review

With the kind co-operation of the Jockey Club, the following seating arrangements have been made in connection with the King's Silver Jubilee Review, which will take place at Happy Valley next Tuesday.

By the courtesy of Messrs. D. E. Clark and J. D. Humphreys, box No. 11 has been placed at the disposal of Lady Peel.

By the courtesy of the Sports Club, box Nos. 12/14 have been placed at the disposal of the Jubilee Committee.

The remaining boxes overlooking the Public Enclosure (and all boxes in the Members' Enclosure), are at the disposal of the Lessees.

Entrance for 1, 2 and 3 above will be by the gate of the Members' Enclosure furthest from "The Monument."

The terraced stands, and the Public Enclosure generally, are placed at the disposal of the Jubilee Committee.

This Enclosure will be reserved for official allotment and admission will be by ticket only, except for Lessees of boxes as at No. 3.

The usual public entrances will be closed to the public.

Arrangements are in hand for the issue of tickets to the above; tickets will show entrance which is to be used.

The General Public, by the courtesy of the Jockey Club, will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

The entrance will be by the gate nearest "The Monument" or by the Paddock-Gate. The only space reserved in this Enclosure will be for the Boy Scouts, along the rails.

Spectators should be in position by 9 a.m.

Any cars arriving after this hour are liable to be held up by Traffic Control Posts, until after the arrival of His Excellency The Governor.

Separate instructions re the arrangements for seating are being issued by the Seating Committee.

Car Parks

The two car parks available are:

(1) Morrison Hill (near the Monument); (2) Village Road.

**The Jubilee Locally
Participation Of The Services**

Details Of Celebrations

The following official programme of the Jubilee Celebrations is published for information:—

To-morrow

8 a.m.—All Naval vessels will "dress ship overall" with flags, hauling them down at sunset.

11 a.m.—H.K.V.D.C. are finding a Guard of Honour for the reception of H. E. the Governor on the occasion of the public meeting at head quarters, H.K.V.D.C.

12 noon.—Ships will be manned and a salute of 21 guns will be fired by H.M.S. Tamar, Hermes, Medway, and Sandwich and by the Saluting Battery at Gun Club Hill, after which all ships will give three cheers for H. M. the King. "Man-of-War" is an interesting, pretty and very old ceremony only carried out on very special occasions.

Sailors are spread along each side of the ship from bow to stern at short intervals with their arms crossed holding on to the guard rails. In the old days yards were also manned.

7.30 to 9 p.m.—Aircraft manned by Naval and Royal Air Force officers in the Fleet Air Arm will give a night flying display.

8 p.m.—Ships will be illuminated. H.M.S. Hermes will have her profile picked out in lights. Destroyers will have a string of lights from their mast to the bow and stern. Ships not fitted with illuminating circuits will have hoisted an illuminated Royal Cypher from the mast head.

8 p.m. to 9.30 p.m.—Military bands will play at the following localities:—(a) Public Ground near Po Hing Theatre, Nathan Road, Programme of music by band 1/8 Punjab Regiment; (b) Statue Square, Hong Kong; Programme of music by band of 2nd Royal Welch Fusiliers; (c) Kowloon Marina; opposite Peninsula Hotel; Programme of music by band of 1st Bn. Lincolnshire Regiment.

9.30 p.m.—Ships will switch out their illuminating circuits and carry out a display with their searchlights. Military searchlights will co-operate in the Naval scheme. This will finish at 9.50 by the firing of a bouquet of 50 rockets from the Hermes, which is the signal for ships again to switch on their lights.

Tuesday

A review of H.M. Naval, Military and Air Forces will be held by His Excellency the Governor at Happy Valley Racecourse.

The following units will be on parade:—

Royal Navy:—A composite battalion consisting of three companies of seamen from H.M.S. Hermes, H.M.S. Medway (submarine depot ship), submarines of the 4th Submarine Flotilla, H. M. ships Decoy, Defender, and Bruce (destroyers) and H. M. ships Grimsby, Sandwich, and Lowestoft (sloops). The Royal Marines will be represented

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A feu de joie will then be fired by 1st Mountain Battery and selected companies.

The whole parade then removes headresses and gives three cheers for Their Majesties the King and Queen. The selected companies then give a Royal Salute. One verse of the National Anthem is played. The Royal Standard is broken at the mast head. This represents the departure of His Majesty.

The selected companies then reform close column on the general inspection line and massed bands take post in front of the saluting base.

H.E. the Governor, accompanied by Major-General O. C. Borrett arrives on parade.

9.20 a.m.:—H. E. the Governor arrives on parade and is received with a Royal Salute and six bars of the National Anthem. His Excellency's flag is broken at the flagstaff.

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6.—On the May 7 between the hours of 7 a.m. and 12 noon, Gloucester Road and Lockhart Road will be closed to vehicular traffic to facilitate the movement of troops.

6 p.m.:—Ships will again be illuminated on Tuesday, May 7, and a searchlight display will be carried out at the same time as on Monday, May 6.

Two squadrons of aircraft from Kai Tak carry out illuminated formation flying from approximately 6.45 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Some Points To Note

Lanterns approved by the Silver Jubilee Committee are on sale at Lane, Crawford and Co., Ltd.

Lanterns may be obtained on application to the Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

The Public Address to His Majesty the King and the containing casket are on view at Wang Hing, 10, Queen's Road Central.

The casket and ivory work is by Wang Hing and the illumination of the address by Mr. Baptista.

The Military Review on the May 7 will begin promptly at 9 a.m. All spectators should be in their places before that time.

CRACKERS DURING THE CELEBRATIONS

Permitted In Certain Areas Of The Colony

BOUNDARIES AND PROHIBITIONS DEFINED

In view of the approaching Jubilee Celebrations, it is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor has given permission for fireworks, not being unlawful fireworks, to be kindled, discharged or let off within the portions of the Colony enumerated in the following table within the respective times nominated, subject nevertheless to the exceptions, prohibitions and restrictions set out in the second part of the said table.

In the Island Of Hong Kong:—

(1) All that area within and bounded by a line from the entrance to the Royal Naval Hospital in Queen's Road East to Kennedy Road, along Kennedy Road to a line running immediately behind and parallel to Hing Wan Street, thence along this line to Stone Nullah Lane, down Stone Nullah Lane to Queen's Road East, along Queen's Road East to Tai Yuen Street by Tai Yuen Street and O'Brien Road to Gloucester Road to Stewart Road, and thence by Stewart Road and Heard Street to the boundary of the Public Works Department Store.

(2) All the area within and bounded by Leighton Hill Road, to Caroline Road, to Shaukiwan Road, along Eastern Hospital Road, to Tai Hang Road, along Tai Hang Road to Stubbs Road, to Morrison Gap Road, and back to Leighton Hill Road.

The streets and roads or portions thereof, as the case may be, through which boundary lines pass are included within the areas.

In Kowloon:—

(3) All that portion of the Kowloon Peninsula south of Austin Road.

(4) The area within (and including) the following boundary:—Nathan Road from Austin Road to the Railway Line, thence to Waterloo Road to Prince Edward Road, thence Argyle Street to Waterloo Road, thence Waterloo Road to No. 4 Railway Bridge, thence to the King's Birthday Parade.

The remainder of the parade will be formed up in rear of the selected companies in line of companies in close column.

The procedure during the review will be as follows:—

9 a.m.:—All troops will be on parade. All spectators are requested to be in their places.

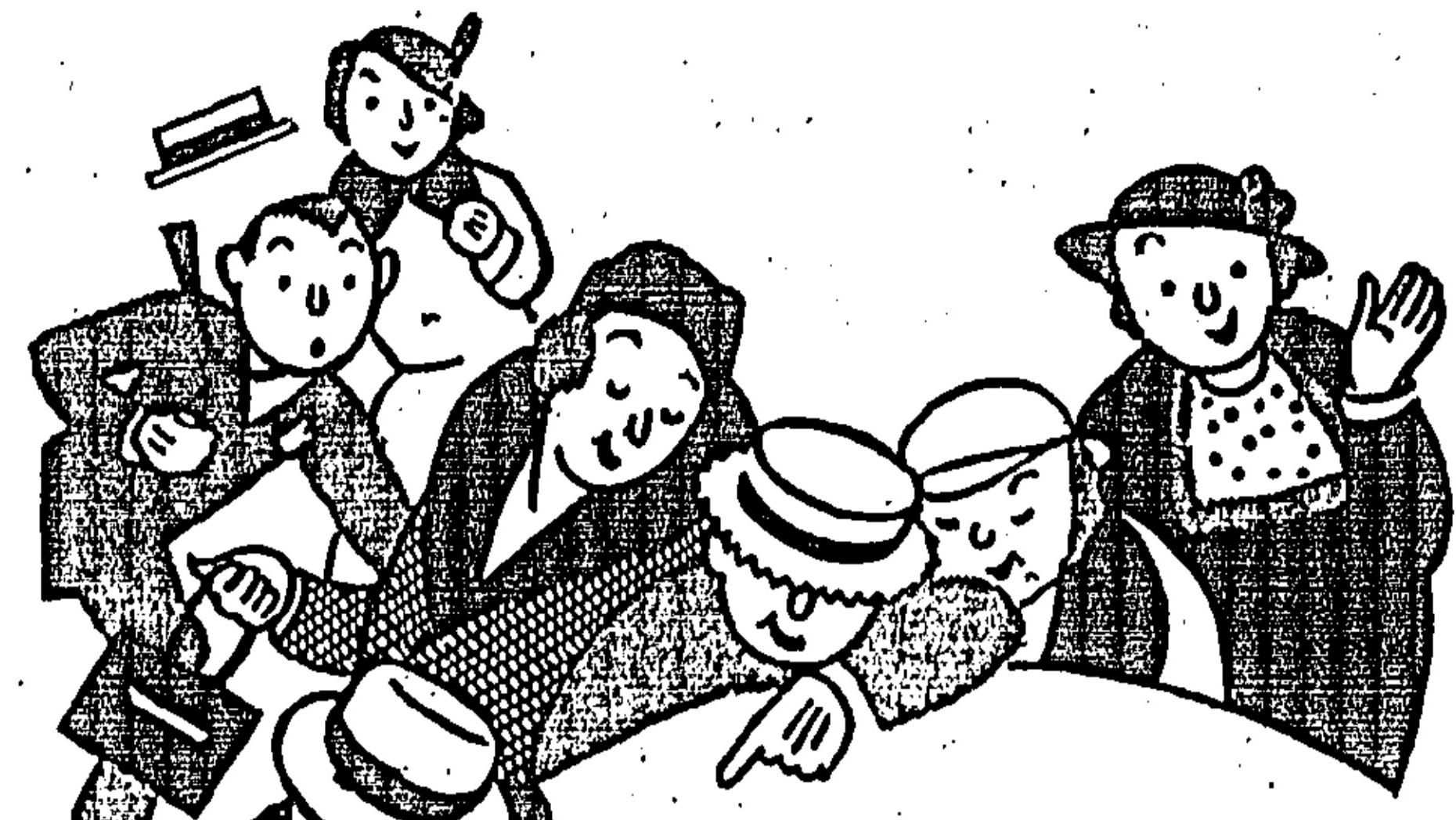
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(By A. H. Faulkner)

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After years of discussion and preparation, a large steamer is at last setting out to establish the necessary bases along the sea-road from San Francisco to Canton.

Giant four-engined seaplanes, with a range of 3,000 miles and accommodation for between 12 and 20 passengers, are being built for the new air service to the Far East. Special crews of pilots, mechanics and wireless operators are being strenuously trained for long-distance flying.

It is expected that the first experimental flights will be made under the watchful eye of Colonel Charles Lindbergh this summer, and that before long flights will be made according to a rigid schedule. They will take four days. At present the fastest steamers take between two and three weeks to carry mail and passengers between America and Asia.

Coral Atolls

The venture is one of the boldest in the history of commercial aviation. It is attracting wide attention in the United States, because if it succeeds not only will a new trade highway be blazed, but a spearhead of American enterprise will be thrust into the Far East which may arouse the resentment of Japan.

One of the most romantic aspects of the undertaking is the importance suddenly bestowed upon three small points of land strung out across the Pacific. Two of them are coral atolls on which few human beings have ever set foot, which will have to be transformed in a few months into modern air-ports.

The first stop on the journey eastwards, Honolulu, is well known to travellers, but Midway Island (actually a group of tiny islands), 1,380 miles from Honolulu, and Wake Island, 1,242 miles from Midway, are two of the loneliest places in the world.

The fourth stopping-place, Guam, 1,450 miles from Wake Island, is a larger island with a population of nearly 20,000. Few people who are not students of naval strategy have ever heard of it. It is 1,500 miles from the next halt, Manilla, in the Philippines, which is 700 miles from Canton, the terminus of the projected line.

Wake Islands

Passengers will be able to do little more than stretch their legs at Midway and Wake Islands. The latter consists of three small islets forming a U-shaped lagoon, which it is believed will provide excellent shelter for seaplanes, and which is protected from the open sea by a coral reef, through which it may be necessary to cut a passage to make way for ships carrying supplies.

Japanese bird-catchers in search of bright plumage have tried to live there in vain. The water in the wells they sank is brackish. Neither Wake Island nor Midway has enough soil to make the cultivation of flowers or vegetables practicable, and earth may have to be carried to them from the American mainland.

The area of land projecting from the ocean at Wake Island is only 2,600 acres. Spray and even waves sweep across it in stormy weather. Discovered by Captain William Wake, of the British schooner Prince William Henry, in 1795, it was placed under the American flag in 1899.

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Stores and Equipment

It is a desolate spot, where occasional bushes break the monotony of glaring white sand.

The stores and equipment which

the 15,000 tons steamship North Haven is to take to these prospec-

tive hopping-stones of the new air service have been prepared with elaborate attention to the minutest detail. The cargo of 6,000 tons includes everything from machinery to sowing-thread.

At Wake and Midway Islands it will be necessary to establish small communities of experts equipped to steer the seaplanes to their destination by wireless, and to supply every possible need when they call for fuel and food.

Huts that can be assembled on the spot will, of course, be a first necessity, and material for the construction of underground petrol tanks. The canteen list for Wake Island includes:

- 110,000 cigarettes,
- 576 cans of tobacco,
- 50 boxes of chewing-gum,
- 65 boxes of razor blades,
- 144 tubes of tooth-paste,
- 48 tins of "foot-case,"
- 48 combs, and 60 tubes of cold cream (evidently women passengers are expected),

- 24 dozen jars sunburn cream,
- 60 dozen assorted buttons, and
- 24 dozen safety-pins—but only a dozen collar-studs.

Nothing seems to have been forgotten. The standard supply of reading matter is the late Dr. Eliot's famous "five-foot shelf," which includes many classical books and the Bible.

The preliminary food consignment being sent to Midway Island includes 2,500 lb. of frozen meat, 500 lb. of chicken, 700 lb. of butter, 450 dozen eggs and much tinned stuff.

Robinson Crusoes

For the amusement of those who are to be exiled to these remote spots of land, apparatus for every practicable game, from cards to baseball, is being sent. All kinds of vegetable seeds are also being despatched in the hope that members of the resident staffs will be able to do a little successful gardening in their spare time, of which they will have a great deal.

The lists of clothing, furniture and engineering equipment are masterpieces of efficient planning, and resemble the inventories of Adm. Byrd's expedition to the South Pole.

With the aid of the Robinson Crusoes which it is straining out across the Northern Pacific, Pan-American Airways hopes to achieve the honour of establishing the first great trans-oceanic air service. The company believes that its line will be in operation long before a regular service exists between the United States and Europe.

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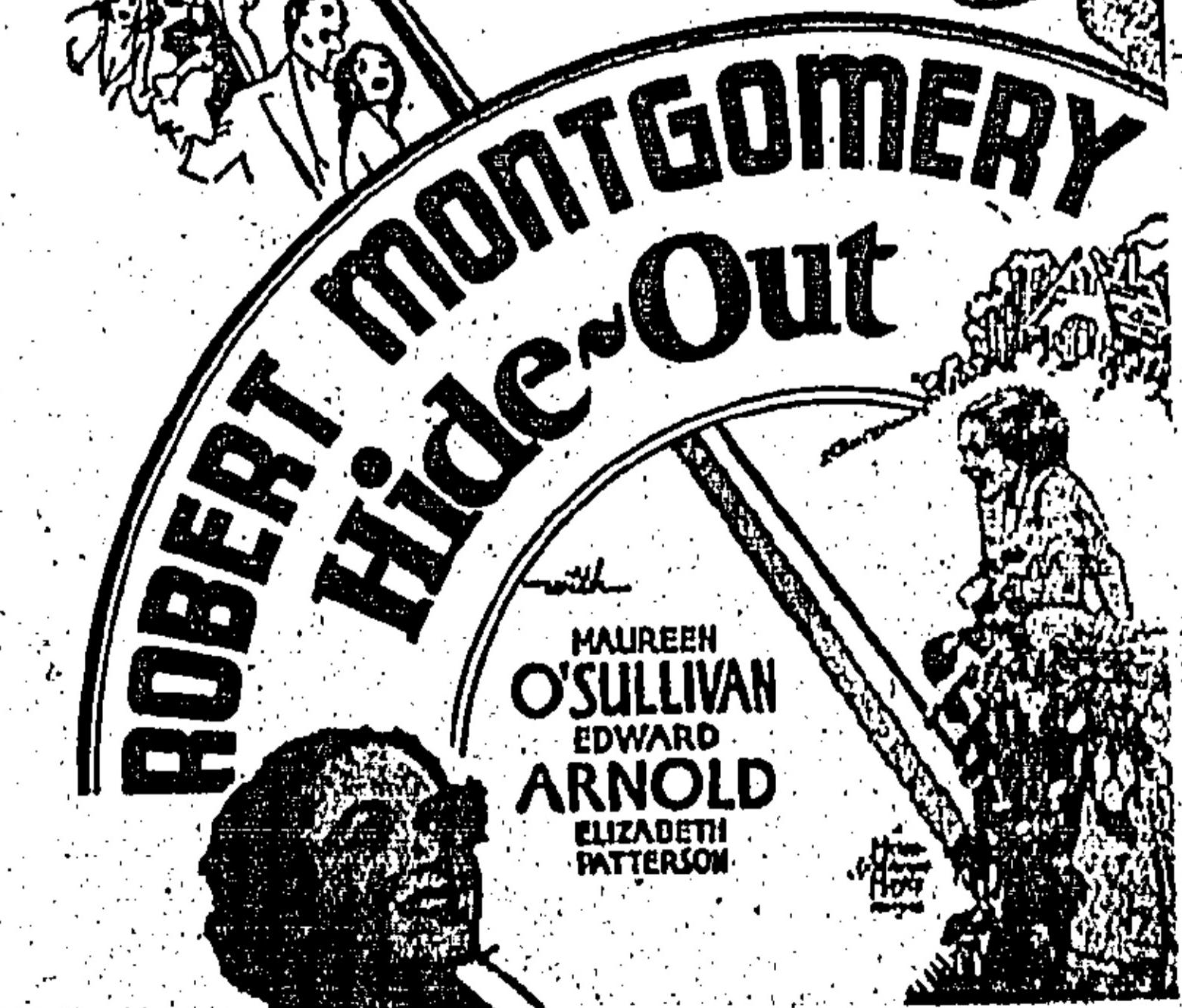
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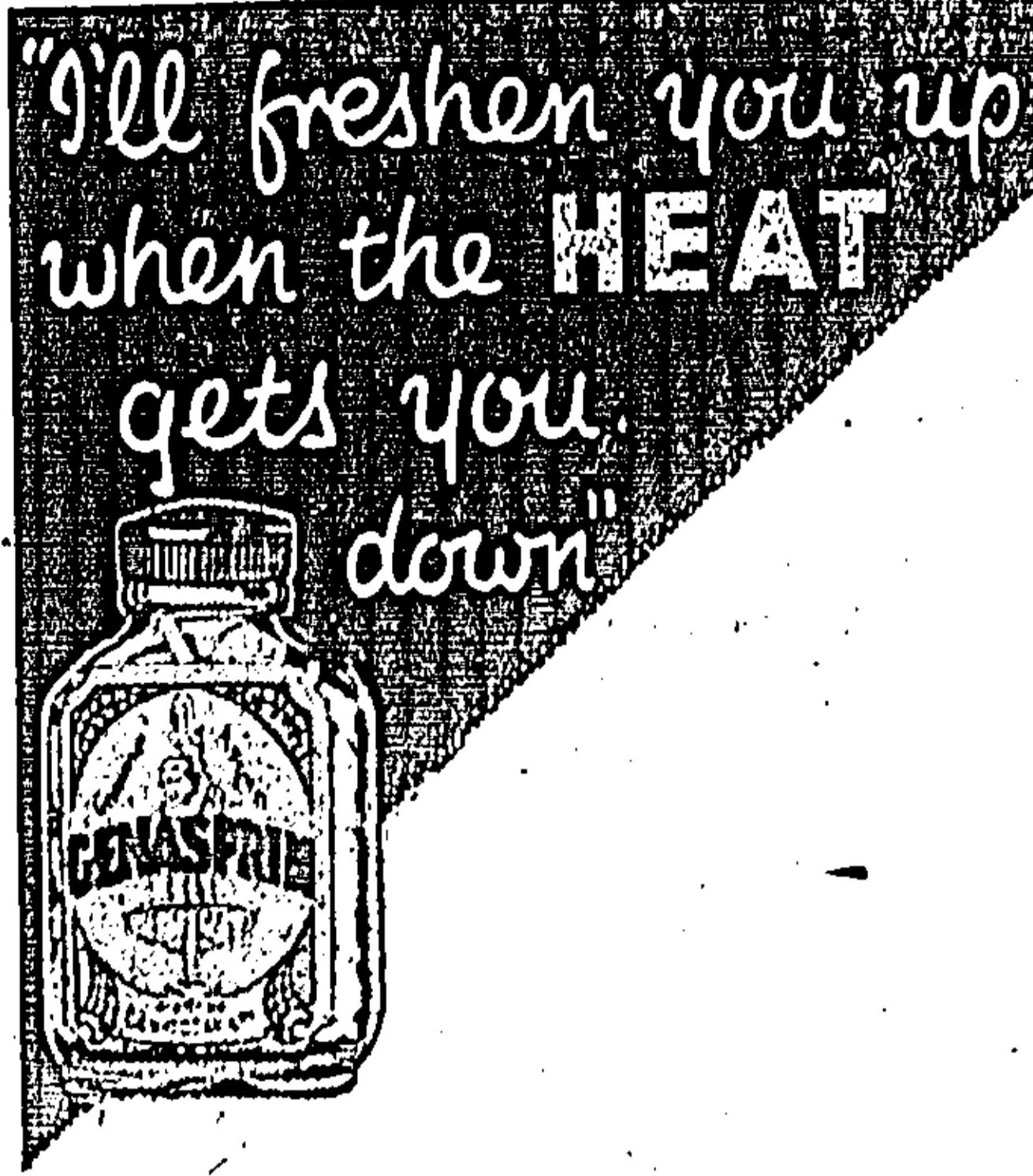
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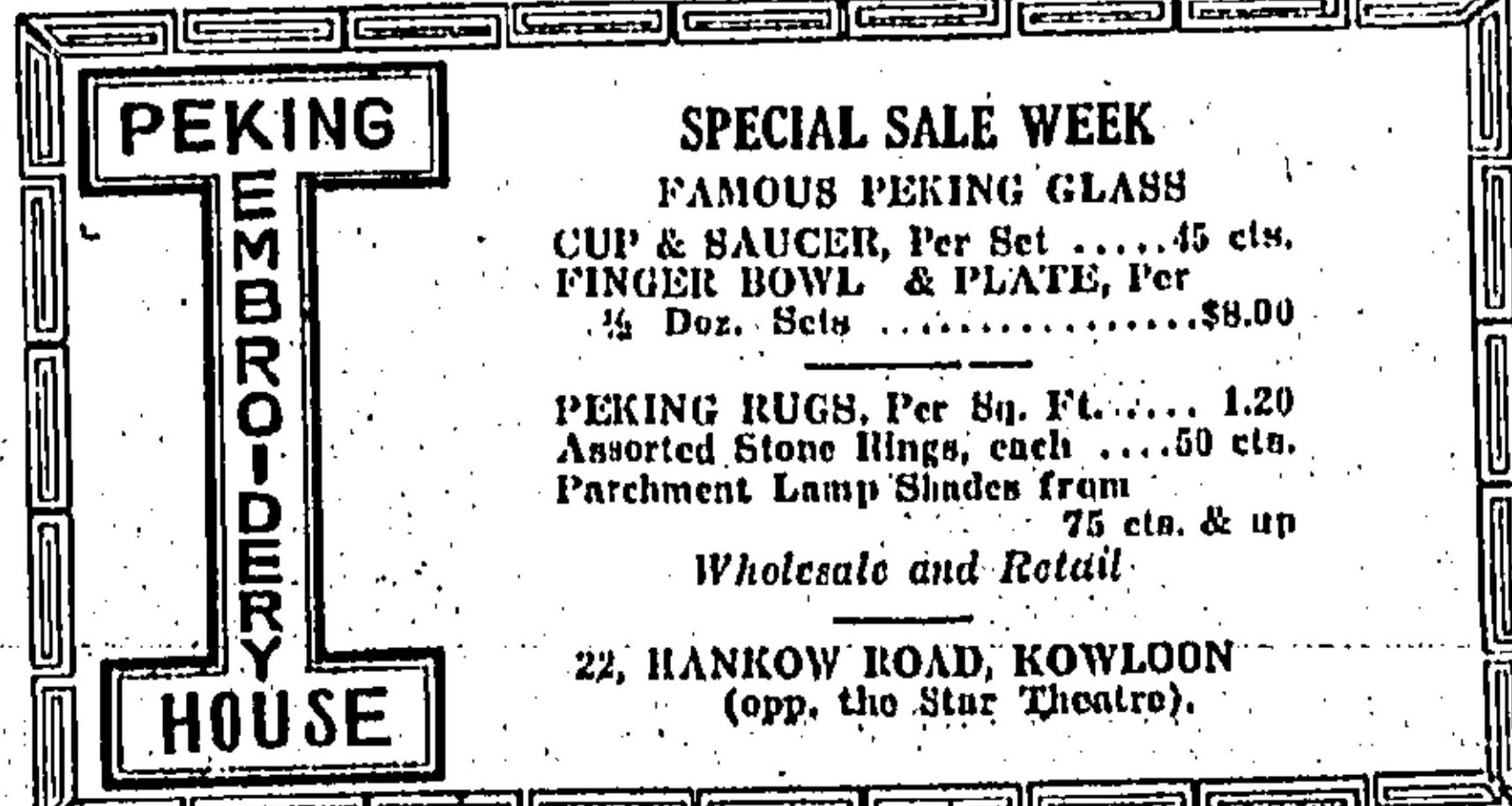
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HE SURE WAS THE
"TOUGH GUY"

Murderer Makes His
Boast Good

NEEDS FOUR CHARGES FOR
ELECTRICITY IN CHAIR

True to his boast that he would be "the toughest guy who ever went to the hot seat in Chicago," Chester Novak, a 50-year-old murderer, went to the electric chair admiring his guards to "lay off all the emotional stuff."

Sheriff John Toman later revealed that four charges of electric current had to be sent through Novak at one-minute intervals before attending physicians pronounced him dead.

The Sheriff added that Novak had drunk 20 cups of black coffee and smoked cigarettes incessantly before he walked to his doom, and this was why it was necessary to give him four charges of electricity.

Novak killed Henry Mendelbaum, aged 48, because he was slow in raising his hands during a hold-up. Referring to his companion in the crime, George Gross, who was sentenced to 99 years' imprisonment, Novak said as he walked to the electric chair: "I wouldn't change places for a million dollars with George Gross."

The murderer refused the last consolations of religion.

BRIDE HAS LUCKY
ESCAPEWedding Dress Catches
Alight

A few minutes before Miss Myssie Flood, of Woodlands-road, Harrow, left for her wedding at Harrow Baptist Church her wedding dress caught fire as she was standing in front of a stove.

She screamed, and her mother ran from another room and put out the flames with a coat. The bride was unburnt, but one side of the dress was burnt.

It was patched up and the bride arrived at the church in tears, but only two minutes late.

UNKNOWN SPECIES
OF SEA CREATUREHedgehog Fish With
HeadlightsPUZZLE FOR U. S. FISHERIES
BUREAU

A fish without eyes, but with a bony protuberance on the skull from which about a dozen tentacles curve umbrella-fashion over the head, each with a tiny light at the tip, has been handed to the United States Bureau of Fisheries for examination.

Officials describe it as one of the strangest submitted to them.

It is about two feet long, and is black, even to the inside of its mouth, in which are long sharp teeth.

It has no scales, but is covered with quills after the manner of a hedgehog.

The creature was landed by a trawler.

CATHOLIC PRIEST
ARRESTEDLabour Service Man
Shot In Berlin

POLITICAL CRIME

Berlin, Yesterday. A Catholic priest has been arrested with a number of others at Kirchhunden, Westphalia, following the arrest of a 60-year-old gamekeeper named Sasse, who is alleged to have shot the labour service man Erich Koch dead.

It is officially announced that Koch was shot obviously from political motives as the result of systematic agitation among certain groups of inhabitants against the labour service and National Socialism. Koch was killed as he was patrolling the streets.

Sasse was arrested after a violent struggle.—Reuter.

The U.S.S. Sacramento arrived in the Colony on Friday from Manila.

FOUR BRITISH
SOLDIERS DIE
IN LORRY CRASHFATAL ACCIDENT
IN INDIAVEHICLE PLUNGES OVER
PRECIPICE

Simla, Yesterday. Four British soldiers belonging to the 5th (Medium) Brigade, Royal Artillery, and an Indian bearer were killed when the lorry in which they were riding from Ambala to Simla fell over the precipice. Six of the eight other occupants were seriously injured.

The steering apparatus apparently broke when the lorry was rounding a bend on a cleft of the hill.—Reuter.

Simla is a military station on the Kalka-Simla Railway, while Ambala is the nearest cantonments to Simla, situated in the plains.

AMERICA NOT
ARMING AGAINST
CANADIANSRoosevelt Tables
His CardsWILL EXERCISE AUTHORITY
IF NECESSARY

Washington, Yesterday. President Roosevelt emphatically declared that the United States would do nothing to arm itself, either defensively or offensively, against Canada, when replying to queries regarding his letter to the Military Committee of the House of Representatives, in which he warned them that if necessary he would exercise his authority as Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Navy in order to stop the publication of anything which might be regarded as unfriendly by other nations.

President Roosevelt added that he now regarded the matter as closed, but hoped that all the people and Government officials in Canada and elsewhere would read his letter.—Reuter.

SCULPTOR ALLEGED
KIDNAPPEDDutch Representations
To Berlin

The Hague, Yesterday.

The Government has made representations to Berlin asking for the return of the German refugee sculptor Gutzeit, who is alleged to have been kidnapped at Hengelo by agents of the German secret police and taken across the frontier with the assistance of a Dutch spy, who was afterwards arrested.

It is alleged that a confession of the kidnapping was made to the Dutch Prosecutor at Almelo by a German policeman named Kutschowitz, who was arrested in Holland.—Reuter.

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MOTOR STRIKE IN
AMERICA

Chevrolet-Fisher Plant

Paralysed

New York, Yesterday.

The Chevrolet-Fisher body plant at Tarrytown has closed owing to the lack of parts as a result of the Toledo motor strike, rendering a further 42,000 workers idle.

Eighteen plants in 10 cities are now involved, affecting over 30,000 workers.—Reuter.

BURLINGTON HOUSE

PRIVATE VIEW DAY

Premier And Overseas
Notables Attend

London, Yesterday.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, and many other notable people, including distinguished visitors from overseas who are visiting London for the Jubilee celebrations attended the private view yesterday of the Royal Academy Summer Exhibition. Private view day is generally regarded as marking the formal opening of the London social season.—British Wireless Service.

LEAGUE TO STOP
GOSSIPOntario Crusaders'
New Movement"KNIGHTS OF ROUND TABLES"
PLEDGE THEMSELVES

The world's first Anti-Goss League has been formed at Uxbridge (Ontario). Members hope that the movement will spread all over the globe.

The founders of the League, the Uxbridge chapter of the Order of the Knights of the Round Table, state that their purpose is to stamp out "insidious whisperings, back-fence chatter, and bridge-table innuendoes so dangerous to men and women."

The Knights are pledged not to gossip themselves and to discourage other people who do so.

RAISING AGE LIMIT
TO 180Medical Research In
Moscow

SOVIET SCIENTISTS' HOPE

Research work on the prolongation of life is now being carried out at the Institute for Experimental Medicine at Moscow.

The staff is hopeful that it may be possible to raise the general age limit to 170 or 180 years.

Anyone over ninety years of age is welcome at the institute, where the oldest subject for research boasts 113 years.

The professors hold that light work is essential for people of advanced years in order to maintain the "freshness" of the nervous system.

FASHION SPIES AT
GOWN PARADESViennese Designers
Take ActionPROTECTION OF "MODELS"
AGAINST PIRACY

Austrian designers of women's fashions will henceforward be protected by an "organisation for protection of models" founded in Vienna against "fashion spies."

The foundation is due to complaints by big outfitting firms that their latest models bought in London or Paris at enormous prices were being regularly copied at their first appearance during the firm's private fashion shows.

Among the crowd of purchasers there would always be several spies behaving like serious clients.

The new organisation's task will be to place copying tailors under boycott, and to collaborate with the authorities to have their licences cancelled.

REACHED HIS LIMIT

Divorce Follows 50
Years Of Marriage

It has taken Frederic Reavis 50 years to decide to divorce his wife.

Applying for a divorce in the Superior Court at Mocksville the 75-year-old husband declared: "Fifty years of married life is all I could bear."

The couple had actually been married for 52 years. Ground for the action was two years' separation.

Mrs. Reavis did not contest the case and her husband was granted a decree.

500 KILLED IN
EARTHQUAKE1,200 Injured In Town
Of Kars

Kars, Transcaucasia, Yesterday.

Five hundred people are now known to have been killed and 1,200 injured in a severe earthquake which shook this town. Over 1,300 houses were destroyed.

An earthquake shock is also reported from Trebizond on the Black Sea together with a violent tornado.—Reuter.

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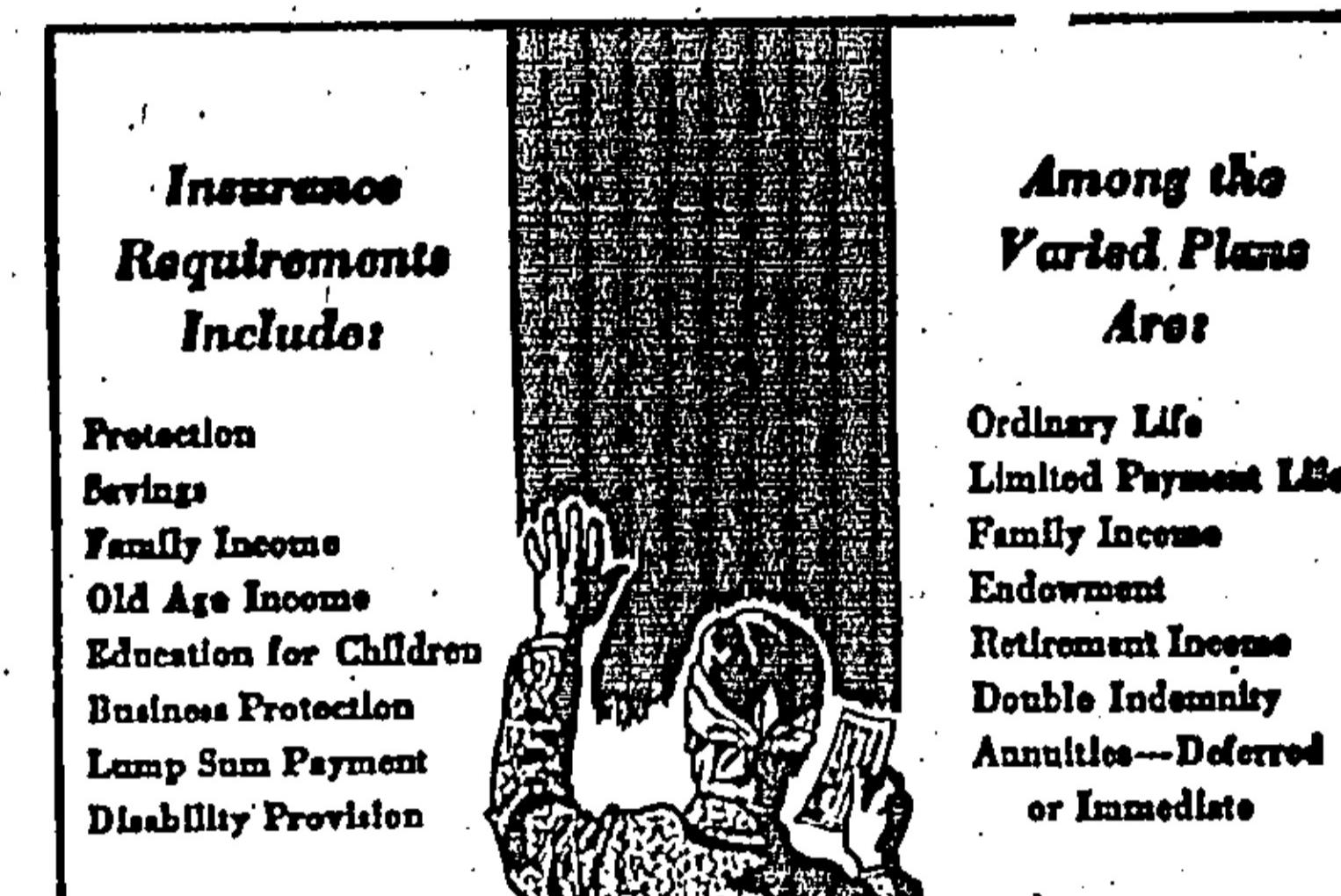
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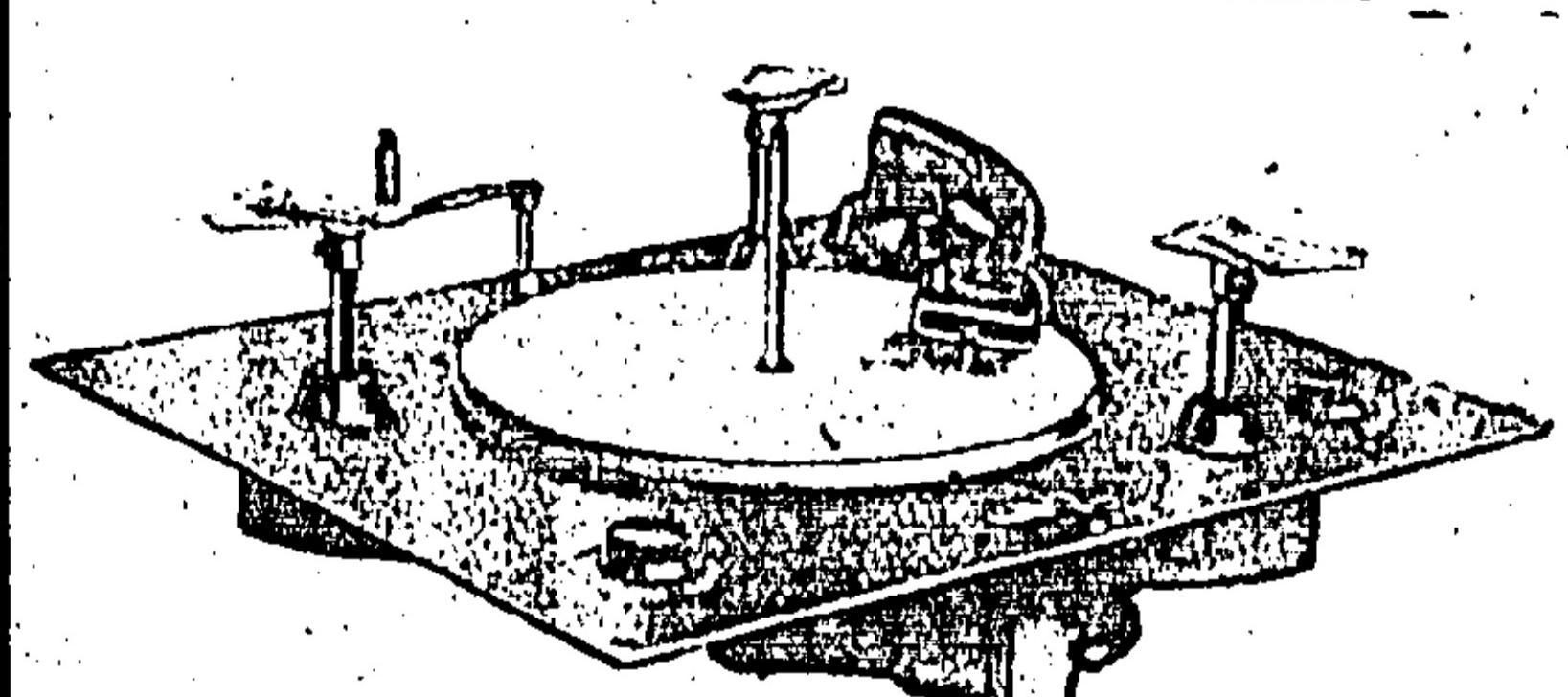
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Kingship

THE personality and personal history of His Majesty King George has been very fully dealt with by many pens, and our own Supplement to-day is added to the number of tributes. But this also seems to be a fitting moment to consider how things stand not so much with King George himself as with the office which he holds. What does the idea of kingship mean to us? How stands the "Crown" as a working idea in law and administration for us, as distinct from the bare theory of monarchy which one might set forth in documents and precedents and treatises on jurisprudence?

A bright young American girl not long ago made the remark on landing at Southampton: "It does seem thrilling to set foot in a country that is ruled by a King." Why would that remark strike any Englishman as very odd, though as far as printers' ink is concerned it might be the idea conveyed by books to anyone who did not know the practical working of our institutions in what may be called the "governance" of the country? If it does not represent the actual facts why is it true to say that the "Crown" is stronger than ever? The bedrock fact that is often forgotten by the makers of constitutions is that a State consists of men and women and that in any active community the final control, the power to make important decisions, is constantly changing. By preserving the forms of procedure that have for the time passed out of use as methods of actual control it is frequently possible to keep continuity, with all the prestige that continuity and consistency carry with them, without hampering the rapid and efficient transaction of business, and the way is left open for a return to the old ways when times have changed. When Mr. Lloyd George lost patience with his colleagues and told the nation that the epitaph on all their decisions was "too late" the nation agreed with him, and made him Dictator for the next two years. When it seemed that his services were no longer producing good results, the nation sent him back to private life.

It was in the halcyon days of peace, when trade was booming, and for forty years every year showed an increase in the national revenue while there was a republican party led Mr. Joseph Chamberlain and Sir Charles Dilke, and supported by many men who afterwards laughed at their own enthusiasms. It was during the reign of George IV and William that the "Crown" reached the lowest ebb of its power. The reason was that there was a lack of sympathy and respect for the monarch, not that there was any formal alteration in the prerogative. The accession of a young and popular Queen very likely saved the situation, but later on the great Queen's long retirement caused the monarchy to seem something of a survival of an outgrown system. Recently Mr. Gladstone's correspondence with the Queen has been published, and discloses how urgently he advised an occasional emergence into public affairs. His intentions were entirely loyal, but some want of tact—the Queen said that "he talked to her as if she were a public meeting"—caused an estrangement which was never overcome. During the last few years of the long reign of course all that was forgotten, and a new sympathy created a loyalty that was of a uniquely personal tinge. King Edward revived the tradition of daily activity in consultation and work, and the modern custom of publishing letters a generation earlier than used to be thought proper has revealed how useful was his knowledge of European affairs.

The national instinct divined that in the Crown there was an invaluable symbol of unity, a centre of influence which could be not only maintained but extended as the meeting point of the rather divergent sections of the Empire that were unwilling to allow the home-born and home-elected Ministers to interfere in their local affairs. The new element was the complete confidence that "the Crown" would not attempt any autocratic defiance of Parliaments or of Ministers, and a new and quite original experiment in government by discussion and consultation was inaugurated. King George's first act was to call a conference of all parties to deal with the Irish conflict. He personally presided at the meetings at Buckingham Palace and, when the conference broke down over a mere trifle, it was the reputation of the politicians that suffered. It has been the same in other disputes. The old faculty for reasonable compromise seems to have been lost by those who depend for their whole career on the votes of parties that are unable to see a situation as a whole. During the whole of the present reign the prestige of the party politician has steadily declined. It is felt that we have to deal with problems that are national and not sectional. The effective influence of the "Crown" as an institution has accordingly risen, and the answer to anyone who is a theoretical republican is simply that it is the linchpin of our State, and that we could not get on without it.

The
PASSING HOUR
by A. N. D.

DECORATIONS

IT cannot be said that we show any great originality on our festive occasions—the same Venetian masks, hung with strings of small and meaningless flags; emblems of a will to be bright and gay far beyond power of realisation. These things can only be properly done when the whole community takes them seriously, and combines to add to the effect. The Chinese dragons at any rate are more like a real "festa"; but one can hardly imagine the staff of the Colonial Office or Public Works arraying themselves as a dragon, with the head of the Department walking in front as St. George, equipped with a broad sword. It would be a popular spectacle. There have been times when it was possible. The great Greek tragedian Sophocles was chosen as the handsomest man, with the best figure in Athens, to head a procession in honour of Dionysus, with a costume which was sufficiently airy to have incurred the ban of any well-regulated censor; had there been a censor man to see the sight. There are many people who think that much of the trouble that democracies have to suppress is due to the economical deputies who vote against shows on the ground that they are a waste of money that cannot be justified as long as there are hungry people about. Bored stiff with the sight of respectable but drab economists, the people in the end find excitement in brawls and other much less picturesque but more exciting disturbances. The Roman Emperors knew better. They provided the "panem" but never forgot the "circenses."

TALL YARNS

EVERY now and then one hears a tall-yarn from a perfectly trustworthy source that it would be fatal to repeat a second hand. The usual formula is "Well, I believe you, old chap, but thousands wouldn't." A delightful book was published some years ago, called "Told by the Colonel," that ought not to have been allowed to perish out of sight as it appears to have done. Of course the position of a green young subaltern who has to give apparent credence to the marvellous coincidences given to him on the highest regimental authority, added plausibility to the tiger shoots that just might have been true if the world were a little less humdrum than we know it to be. India, in fact, seems to be the seed-bed of the type of yarn I mean, and I was reminded of the book by a story sent me by a friend in a letter with every asseveration of being an eyewitness. My friend asserts that he had invited one of his friends to dinner, but just about the appointed hour he got a chit apologising for non-attendance on the ground that his guest could not find his waistcoat. Rather annoyed, the host walked up and down and ended standing at the front door, looking out in deep contemplation. Suddenly he saw coming along the middle of the road a monkey, hopping along and carrying a waistcoat, carefully lifted above the dust over his shoulder. A loud shout stopped the marauder, who dropped the waistcoat. It was retrieved and sent to the guest, who in due course appeared. It was not his own waistcoat, but it served.

MADAME MADALAH MASSON

WE regret the early departure of Madame Masson, who completely won the approbation and (Continued on Page 13)

OVERHEARD

Man Needs A Faith
"Man individually and socially needs a philosophy or a working faith."

Self-Rollant
"More and more people are doing their own thinking."

Law
"Traffic signals are not a sacrifice of liberty; they are the preservation of it."

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APPEAL FOR MEMBERS

THE first "At Home" of the Wah Yan Past Students' Association, organised by its Programme Sub-committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Fung Kwok Wa, took place last night at the College Hall by kind permission of the Head Master, the Rev. Fr. R. W. Gallagher, S. J. Ph. D.

The function was a happy and long-desired reunion of all the members of the College staff, including the Very Rev. Fr. G. Byrne, S.J. Ph. D., the very Rev. Fr. R. W. Gallagher, S.J. Ph. D., the Rev. Fr. E. Bourke, S.J., the Rev. Fr. T. Ryan, S.J., the Rev. J. Garland, S.J., the Rev. G. L. Kennedy, S.J., the Rev. R. Kennedy, S.J., the Rev. E. Eard, S.J., the Rev. B. Kelly, S.J., the Rev. D. Donnelly, S.J., the Rev. Fr. T. Fleming, S.J., the Rev. T. Martin, S.J., the Rev. T. Sheridan, S.J., Mrs. E. Millard, B.A., Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Mauricio, Mrs. A. Ng, Messrs. W. A. Youngsaye, B.A., P. A. Dragon, Wong Tuen Po, Lo Mo To and over 200 past Wahyanites of different professions or businesses.

With simple but tasteful decorations of streamers and flowers the College Hall presented a festive scene, while on the programme many items, such as songs by the Rev. R. W. Gallagher, musical selections by Mrs. E. Millard and Mr. Kwan Man Wai and Company, and a short act depicting Robin Hood and His Merry Men in the Sherwood Forest by College pupils were distinct features of the function.

President's Speech

The function commenced at 8 p.m. and the opening address was made by the President of the Association, Mr. Ko Fook Sun, who said:—

"On behalf of our Past Students' Association, I have great pleasure in welcoming you all to this party. I am very happy to see so many cheerfully gathered in this old homestead, where we have spent many happy days together. Amidst these old and familiar surroundings of our

FIVE YEARS AGO

(Extracts from the *Sunday Herald* of April 27, 1930.)

In the Hong Kong Bowls League yesterday the holders of the Senior Division championship, the Crayengower Cricket Club, defeated formidable opponents in the Kowloon Docks by the narrow margin of five shots, due mainly to a fine win by B. W. Bradbury's rink.

A highway robbery occurred at King's Park yesterday at 8.30 p.m. when four men, one of whom was armed with a dagger, robbed a Chinese couple of a wrist-watch and over \$150 in money.

Driving a motor-cycle along Shek-ko Road, Mr. Omerod, with Mr. Spooner on the pillion seat, was attacked by a 12-foot python, which was lying across the road. The reptile struck at Mr. Spooner, but fortunately missed him. The snake then escaped into the bushes.

After 15 years residence in the Colony, Mr. T. A. Hahtan has been appointed an Unofficial Justice of Peace. He is the first representative of the local Sindhi community to be appointed.

"HERALD" CALENDAR

May 5, 1908.—Imperial Government ordered steps to be taken to close the opium dens in Hong Kong.

May 5, 1921.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen proclaimed himself "President of China."

May 7, 1891.—Governor Sir William De Vaux left Hong Kong.

May 8, 1844.—Sir John Francis Davis became Governor of Hong Kong.

May 9, 1893.—Waglan Lighthouse opened.

May 10, 1894.—Outbreak of plague in Hong Kong.

May 11, 1891.—Execution at Kowloon of 16 pirates, including the leader of the "Namou" pirates.

May 11, 1913.—Portuguese cruiser Adamastor struck a rock near Hong Kong.

Hong Kong Personalities



THE HON. MR. JUSTICE MACGREGOR

This is the fortieth of the exclusive series of sketches of leading Colony residents by Mr. A. S. Konya, the talented Hungarian artist.

OUR Personality this week is Mr. Alasdair Duncan Atholl MacGregor, K.C., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Hong Kong.

Born in June 1883, the son of Robert Roy MacGregor, of Edinburgh, the future Chief Justice received his education, first at the famous George Watson's School, Edinburgh, then at Edinburgh University and afterwards at Lincoln College, Oxford; he is an M. A. of Edinburgh and a B. A. of Oxford.

Called to the Bar at Lincoln's Inn in 1908, he was, four years later, appointed an Assistant District Commissioner in Nigeria and from 1914 to 1922 served as Police Magistrate in Lagos, becoming Solicitor-General of Nigeria the year following.

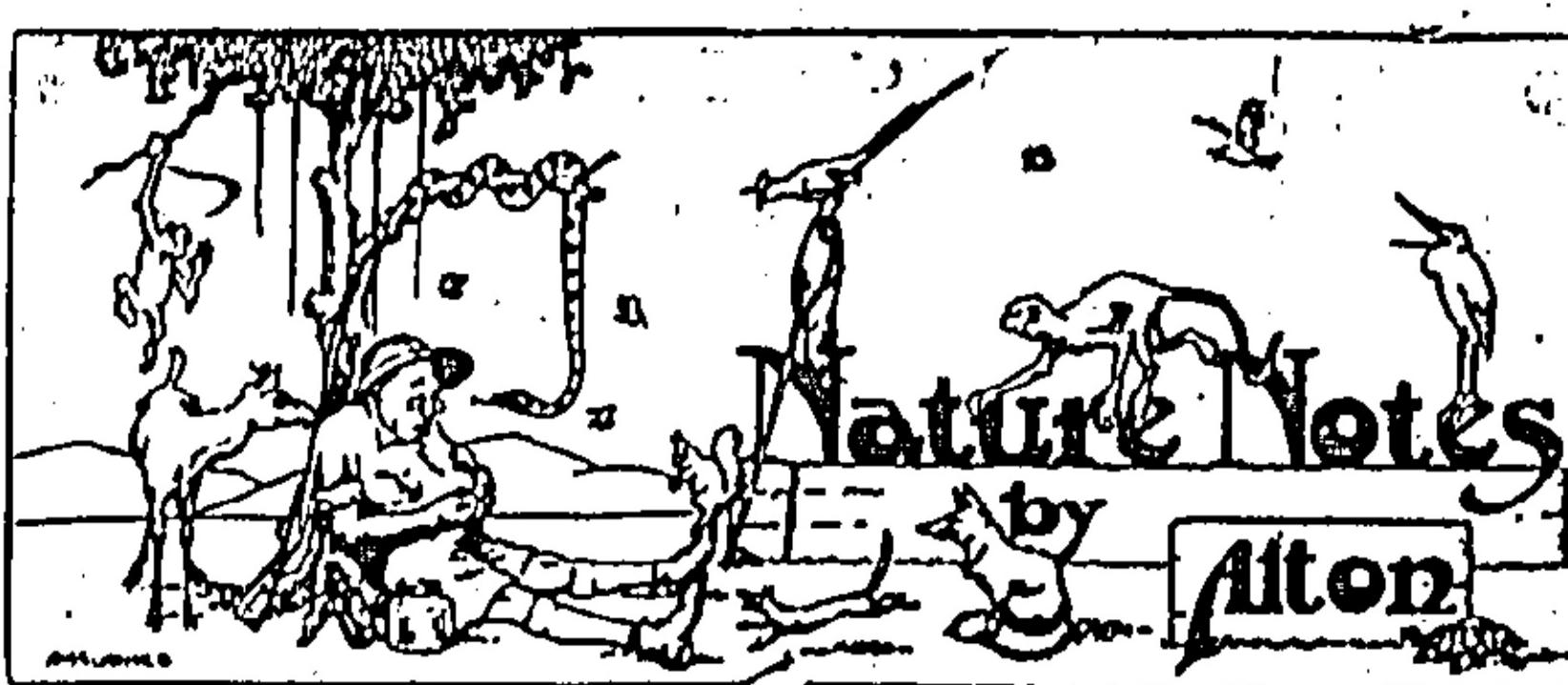
Three years later, in 1926, he was transferred to Trinidad as Solicitor-General of Trinidad and Tobago and in 1927, while serving in this capacity, was created a K. C.

His next stop took him back to Africa, but to the East this time instead of the West, when he was in 1929 appointed Attorney General of Kenya, whence he was transferred to Hong Kong as Chief Justice in February of last year. (Continued on Page 13)

TO-DAY'S QUOTATION

"Oh, how great is the power of truth! which of its own power can easily defend itself against all the ingenuity and cunning and wisdom of men."

—CICERO.



HONG KONG AND THE NEW TERRITORIES.—No. 154.

A Large Family

Until a few days ago I was the happy father of one small son; now I am the somewhat harassed foster-father of 100 youngsters. I refer to my adopted family of the Atlas moth. Only about two of the 102 eggs failed to hatch (see *Nature Notes* 152 and 153) and the 100 caterpillars have to be fed. They have voracious appetites and consume relatively vast volumes of Hibiscus leaf.

Already the most precocious have doubled in size and soon they will have to be deposited in a creche. A sleeve made of mosquito netting, sewn up at one end and pulled over a branch of Hibiscus—the open end being then closed by means of an elastic band or piece of string makes the most easily managed baby-barn. All that is necessary is to replace the sleeve over another branch every few days.

Three Disappointments

Last Tuesday I suffered from no fewer than three biological misfortunes. Firstly a friend told me that he had seen on Pottinger Peak a snake which he described to me very accurately; the head was banded with black and white, the body banded with red-brown, black and white. It was a decent-sized fellow some two to three feet in length and when tickled with a stick it merely turned over on its back and stuck its legs in the air—no, not legs, because it possesses none, but assumed the inverted prone position.

Now this is the one and only species of Coral Snake found in the Colony. It is only known here from the mountains of the island and I have never yet had the chance to see a full-grown specimen alive or dead; small ones, dead, but no living specimen has yet come my way.

Relative Of Cobra

This Coral snake is closely related to the Cobra and Krait, but is a placid and timid creature, preferring to hide its head in the sand or behind a stone and pretending to be dead rather than making a fight as would a cobra.

Please will the next person who sees an adult coral snake put it in his pocket and send it alive to me? I will offer a dollar a foot and eight cents for every inch over one, two or three feet for every living Coral Snake sent to me at the University.

My friend went on to say that he had also seen some young terrapins but of course had not kept any for me. There are at least three species of terrapin wild in the Colony, but as these same species are often kept as pets and subsequently escape or are released it is not always easy to say that a specimen captured is a truly wild one. Youngsters from Pottinger Peak could not possibly be escapes. Thrown Away

The second disappointment followed shortly after. A friend told me that he had nearly committed murder on my behalf.... I wondered why he loved me enough to

risk his neck for me. Apparently an unusually fine butterfly had been captured and placed in a tin and a colleague had promptly thrown it away! The loss of a butterfly is not very great—even the loss of a cocoon might have been made good; but great expectations had been aroused in me only to be dashed to the ground. Please don't do it!

The third disappointment happened in the evening. Fortunately I had just had the pleasure of listening to Madame Masson, otherwise the shock might have been too great. A ship's captain said he had caught some strange deep sea fish for me, but not only had they died on him but had gone bad in him or rather on the ship and therefore had been disposed of.

Two Specimens

Fortunately on the next day a friend arrived with two interesting specimens and a story that he had just failed to catch mosquito two inches in length! My eyes bulged a bit at this story but it dawned on me that he was probably referring to a Daddy-long-legs.

The two specimens were a long-legged centipede *Scutigera* sp. known locally as Ng kung and supposed to be very venomous, but doubtfully so, and an Atlas moth. Not the Atlas moth, *Attacus atlas*, nor the Moon or Luna moth, *Attacus atlas* but what I believe to be either the Cynthia moth, *Attacus cynthis*, or the Smaller Atlas moth, *Attacus virens*. Unfortunately I know of no book dealing with the moths of this part of Asia, so it is difficult to name specimens.

This moth is of biscuit brown colour with very furry body and wings, with a band of pinkish, edged with black, on the inside, running diagonally across fore and hind wings. Another pinkish bar at an angle to the first and on the body side is present on each wing. Also on each wing there is a half-moon transparent window, edged in front with black and behind with biscuit brown.

THE PASSING HOUR

(Continued from Page 12)

even enthusiasm of her audience in her farewell concert last Thursday. Her interpretation of the Chopin selections had none of the fireworks of a recent performer but it was none the worse for that. The Schumann suite, giving a musical reminiscence of scenes of childhood, was simply charming. Hong Kong is a place of "hail and farewell," but it does seem that the farewells have been unduly frequent since the dollar began to go up!

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MR. JOHN BUCHAN

THE appointment of a popular novelist to be Governor-General of Canada is a departure from the usual routine that marks a step in an adventurous and very successful career, that we may hope is still in an early stage. Mr. Buchan cannot be called a "self-made" man, for although he has curved out his own career, he had the Bullion etched. It was his college connections that introduced him to Lord Milner, who took him out to Cape Town as an assistant private secretary. There he learned much and quickly, for his chief was kindly but exacting, and there was plenty of variety in the events that had to be dealt with. In a vacation he went up North, and after a day's shooting would spend the evening writing a novel, "Prester John." From this came further introductions, and an invitation to join the publishing firm of Nelson, in Edinburgh, and that again led to his election to represent the Scottish Universities in Parliament. The moral seems to be "use your leisure in writing novels"; but make sure that you have a tale to tell.

LOCAL CONGRATULATIONS TO THE KING**Indian Chamber Of Commerce Message Dispatched**

The following is the text of a telegram despatched by the Hindu Association to His Majesty the King through His Excellency the Governor:

"The Indian Chamber of Commerce, Hong Kong, humbly desire to convey to His Majesty the expression of their most profound loyalty, and sincerest congratulations on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of His Majesty's accession to the Throne."

One case of small-pox, one of diphtheria and two of cerebro-spinal meningitis were reported in the Colony during the 24 hours ended May 3.

COMMANDER OF "RUSSIA" ON LAST VOYAGE**COMDR. JAMES TO RETIRE****DISTINGUISHED WAR RECORD**

When the Empress of Russia sailed on Friday she carried on the bridge Commander Herbert James, R.N., R.N.R. (Retired), who was commencing his last voyage in the service of the company prior to retirement.

Commander James was born at Barnet, Hertfordshire, on May 16, 1875. He was educated at Ripley House School, Barnet, and at Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School, Barnet, in the Upper School. He began his sea career as an apprentice in sailing ships in October, 1890, remaining in all until June, 1897. In January of the following year he joined the African Steamship Co. (African Royal Mail), as Fourth Officer, sailing on the run from Liverpool to West Africa. He was appointed to the command of one of their vessels in March, 1906, and resigned from that service in March, 1907.

Join C.P.R. In 1907

Commander James joined the service of the Canadian Pacific Railway in June, 1907, and was appointed to the command of the s.s. Methven in February, 1920, remaining in command of that vessel until she was removed from the Pacific service in October, 1922. Since that date Commander James has served as Staff Captain in various ships and in command of the R.M.S. Empress of Russia from June to September, 1932, from October to December, 1933, and from December, 1934.

Commander James was gazetted a Sub-Lieutenant in the Royal Naval Reserve in February, 1905, and was placed on the retired list with the rank of Commander in March, 1922. He served in the Royal Navy from August 3, 1914, to September 23, 1919, the last Admiralty appointment being that of "Shipping Intelligence Officer," Colombo, April 1917, to August 1919.

He was awarded the 1914-15 Star, the British War Medal, the Allied Victory Medal, the Royal Naval Reserve Officer's Decoration, and the A.A. Canadian Naval War Badge (silver) for "services rendered." He was mentioned in despatches from the Red Sea in 1915.

Serves As Gunnery Officer

His other war service included service in the R.M.S. Empress of Asia from August 3, 1914, to October 21, 1915, as 2nd and 1st Lieutenant in the China Sea, at Tsingtao, in the Indian Ocean, and the Red Sea, in the defence of Aden, and the attack on Sheik Othman. He served in H.M.S. Suva as Gunnery Officer from October 22, 1915, to November 24 of the same year.

Commander James was in command of the R.I.M.S. Elephanta from November 25, 1916, to March 15, 1917, on special duty in the Persian Gulf, attached to the Indian Expeditionary Force; and was Assistant Officer in charge of Defensive Armaments for Merchant Ships, Port Said, from September 28, 1916, to April 20, 1917. Finally, he served as Shipping Intelligence Officer, Colombo, as already mentioned.

Commander James is a Master Mason of the University Lodge of Hong Kong, No. 3666 E.C., and a Companion of the Royal Arch Chapter attached to the same Lodge.

Commander James's address on retirement will be 218 Trutch Street, Vancouver, B.C.

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PRIMARY SCHOOLS' ART EXHIBITION**Over 2,000 Exhibits On Display****13-YEAR-OLD BOY'S FINE ACHIEVEMENT**

A record of over 2,000 exhibits from primary students, whose ages vary from five to 17 years, of 30 different schools of the Colony, are displayed at the third annual Hong Kong Primary Schools' Art and Handicrafts Exhibition, which commenced at the Chinese Young Men's Christian Association on Thursday last. The exhibition, which is organised by the Chinese Y.M.C.A., concludes to-morrow, when the Chairman, Mr. S. M. Cheng, will present prizes to the creators of the best exhibits.

The exhibits include Chinese and Western paintings, calligraphy, penmanship, handicrafts, paper, bamboo and basket work, sculpture, moulding, carpentry, embroidery, and sewing.

Three separate rooms have been set aside for demonstration purposes, and students from the various schools can be seen demonstrating calligraphy, sewing, and

CHUNG-SHING INSTITUTE OF COMMERCE**Instructive Tour Of Factories****TWO GREAT HONG KONG WORKS VISITED**

More than 50 pupils and members of the faculty of the Chung-Shing Institute of Commerce were conducted through the factory of the Nunn Young Tobacco Co., Ltd., early yesterday morning, and were much impressed with all they saw. As business is usually quiet on Saturday they were unable to see every department at work and consequently will inspect the remaining departments next Wednesday.

Arriving at the entrance to the factory in Russell Street, Happy Valley, at about 10 a.m., they were met by the director, Mr. Ng Suk Ping, who accompanied them through the establishment. The first thing they were shown was the immense store-room in which the raw tobacco is kept before being washed and prepared for the machines.

Most Expensive Machine

After these preliminary preparations the tobacco is conveyed to a machine where all impurities are chemically removed. After being dried and re-dried several times, it is then considered to be fit for the cutting machine. This, perhaps the most intricate and certainly the most expensive machine in the whole factory.

The finished cigarettes are next taken to the packing department, where they are stored in the neat little cartons so familiar to all. The next step is to the export department, where they are packed in large cases for export to every corner of China.

Printing Works Visited

The examination of all these features occupied some time, so that it was well after 11 o'clock before the party finally reached the printing works of the Commercial Press Limited, the second factory on their schedule. All were greatly impressed with this, which is one of Hong Kong's most modern factories.

The party was so large that it was decided to form two units to facilitate the tour. The Commercial Press specialises in book-binding and stationery and it takes more than 400 employees to supply the demand of the Colony.

The local branch has been capitalised at about \$1,000,000, while the head office in Shanghai is worth several times this figure. One machine was bought for \$70,000, but at the present rate of exchange the same machine could not be purchased for \$100,000.

As time was growing short another day was arranged in which the pupils would be able to view the factory in more detail.

Classes In Model Aeroplanes

A display of model aeroplanes is one of the features of the show. This section of the exhibit is proving to be the most popular, and is attracting the attention of all youngsters.

Mr. Wong Shu Hoi is in charge of the display and will give a model flight demonstration at the Y.M.C.A. playground at 2.30 p.m. today. The public is cordially invited.

Classes in model aeroplane building and flying will be organised by the Chinese Y.M.C.A. and those interested are requested to communicate with Mr. W. C. Young, of the Y.M.C.A., or Mr. Wong Shu Hoi, Eastern Model Aeroplane Shop, No. 317 Nathan Road.

LOCAL JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS**Revised Programme Announced****CHINESE PROCESSION ROUTES**

The following is the revised time table of the Hong Kong Jubilee Celebrations and gives the routes of the Chinese Processions.

TO-MORROW

11 a.m. To About 6 p.m. Chinese Procession:— Starting from Belcher Street at Kennedy Town to Queen's Road West; along Queen's Road to the Queen's Theatre; then to d'Aguilar Street; then to Wellington Street to the Ho Tung Building; then to Queen's Road Central, and along Queen's Road Central and Queen's West to the No. 7 Police Station; then to Pokfulam Road; then passing the Hong Kong University to Bonham Road and Caine Road; then (at about 4.30 p.m.) to Government House, entering it at its main entrance and leaving it by its side entrance in Albert Road; then passing the Colonial Secretary's Office down Garden Road; then passing the Cricket Ground to Murray Road to Chater Road; then passing Supreme Court and the Queen's Statue to the Praya; then along the Praya to Wing Lok Wharf; then to Des Voeux Road West and along the Tramway to Catchick Street where the procession will break up.

TUESDAY

7 p.m. Chinese Lantern procession Which Will Take The Following Route:—

From the starting point at West Point, Catchick Street starts to Smithfield Road; from Smithfield Road to Belcher Street; from Belcher Street to Queen's Road and up to No. 7 Police Station; from No. 7 Police Station; then to Des Voeux Restaurant; then to Des

His Majesty The King-Emperor**Faithful In Service To His People**

(By Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan)

I make no apology this morning for taking as the subject of this article the great event which, in his heart, they were in his thoughts every moment of those grim years. Only expediency prevented him being with them to share the rigours of war.

And what was the result? In the post-war years, when the thrones of Europe tottered and fell, when Empires stretching back into history crumbled into the dust, this tremendous fact emerged in our national life; that never had the Throne and Dynasty held so deep a place in the life of our nation and Empire,—a fact that was simply and solely due to the personal character of him whose subjects we are proud to be.

After all, the standards of character do not vary very much anywhere on this earth. A man is a man or he is not. He does his duty or he falls short of it. He promotes the highest and best in public and private life, or in the world's judgment there is an element of apology or excuse.

A World's Devotion

And it is just because the King emerged from these three fundamental tests unscathed that the hearts of the universe turned towards him in the hour of his suffering, and the hands of the world were eager to do him service when in 1929 the Angel of Death hovered above his head.

Nothing since the Armistice so linked the whole wide world in one common bond of deep emotion. From the churches of every land, from the temples whose bells are ringing on the road to Mandala to the Shinto shrines of Japan; from the shacks of lonely settlers on the shores of Hudson's Bay to the scattered outposts on the Indian frontier; in the darkness of the African jungles, within and without the Empire, the prayers of men and women and little children went up to the Throne on high. And God, Who knows our needs before we ask, and our necessity in asking, granted an answer to our prayers. The one whom we could not spare was given back to us from the jaws of death.

He came to the throne at one of the most critical moments of our national history, when the first rumblings of the world-storm were in the air. He heard the first grim challenge that called the nations out to war. Then, during the dark years of national suffering and tribulation, he played his part, never sparing himself, never thinking of himself, calling from others no sacrifice he himself was not ready and willing to share, giving his people that example of unselfish devotion to duty which has ever been the hall-mark of his character all the years of his reign.

To many of the men who answered the call of duty, in the Homeland and in the British Dominions across the Seas, he was but a name, but in that name there was the bugle-call that could not be denied. In him was summed up all that the Motherland stood for, all that England meant. That their King needed them was sufficient; that he felt it his solemn duty to call them was enough.

A Nation Answers

The thronging crowds that surrounded his Palace on the declaration of war showed the trend of national opinion. When on the rare occasions he visited his armies on

the frontiers, their names are forgotten. Queen Mary will be remembered as the epitome of womanhood in the age that wrought womanhood's liberation. Her influence has pulsed through the whole fabric of society. The strength of her character has inspired and ennobled everything good and compassionate in our national life.

She has lived for the people and won their affection by her simplicity, by her absorption in her duty, by her unwavering loyalty to all the great qualities that are the common heritage of our race. And so to-day, as always, the nation's prayer is that God will endow them plenteously with heavenly gifts, grant them in health and wealth long to live, until their course is finished, and they lay down their earthly crowns before the great White Throne, where all men stand equal at the last, to receive the crown of everlasting life that fadeth not away.

FOURTEENTH
ANNUAL STATEMENT
of the
ASIA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

December 31, 1934

MAIN OFFICE FOR THE FAR EAST
17 The Bund, ShanghaiNEW YORK OFFICE
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ASSETS

Cash in banks and on hand	\$ 677,043.04
Bonds and debentures (Amortized value):	
Governments	\$784,510.99
Public utilities	310,654.56
Railroads	117,956.71
Miscellaneous	63,614.43
Preferred and common stocks (Listed shares valued at market rate, unlisted shares at cost or lower):	
Preferred	\$168,705.88
Common:	
Banks	\$300,569.12
Insurance companies	752,839.12
Miscellaneous	64,499.39
Total	1,107,907.63
Real estate mortgages (First lien on property appraised by the company at \$2,123,415.23)	889,252.42
Loans secured by collateral	157,418.64
Real estate owned (at cost)	563,560.00
Less mortgage assumed	
Policy loans and premium notes secured by policy reserve	
Net premiums due and deferred	
Due from reinsurance companies	
Due from agents	
Interest and rents accrued	
Furniture and fixtures	
Other assets	
Total	7,204,795.67

LIABILITIES

Reserve for policies in force	\$ 5,506,034.41
Claims in process of settlement	41,137.82
Policy proceeds and other funds left with company at interest	108,240.47
Reserve for policyholders' dividends	74,660.00
Interest and premiums received in advance	112,867.75
Due to reinsurance companies	93,167.80
Due to agents	55,601.39
Reserve for taxes, etc.	33,719.38
Other liabilities	119,651.11
Silver reserve	100,000.00
Capital stock-authorized 100,000 shares of U.S.\$5.00 each, outstanding 40,000 shares	588,235.29
Surplus	371,580.25
Total	7,204,795.67

All foreign currencies converted to Shanghai dollars at the rates of exchange prevailing on December 31, 1934.

CERTIFICATE

ASIA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY:

I have made an examination of your accounts as of December 31, 1934, and in my opinion the above balance sheet sets forth your financial condition at that date.

HENRY S. DE VAULT

Certified Public Accountant

Shanghai, March 28, 1935.

Hong Kong Branch:—Asia Life Building, 12, Queen Rd. C.

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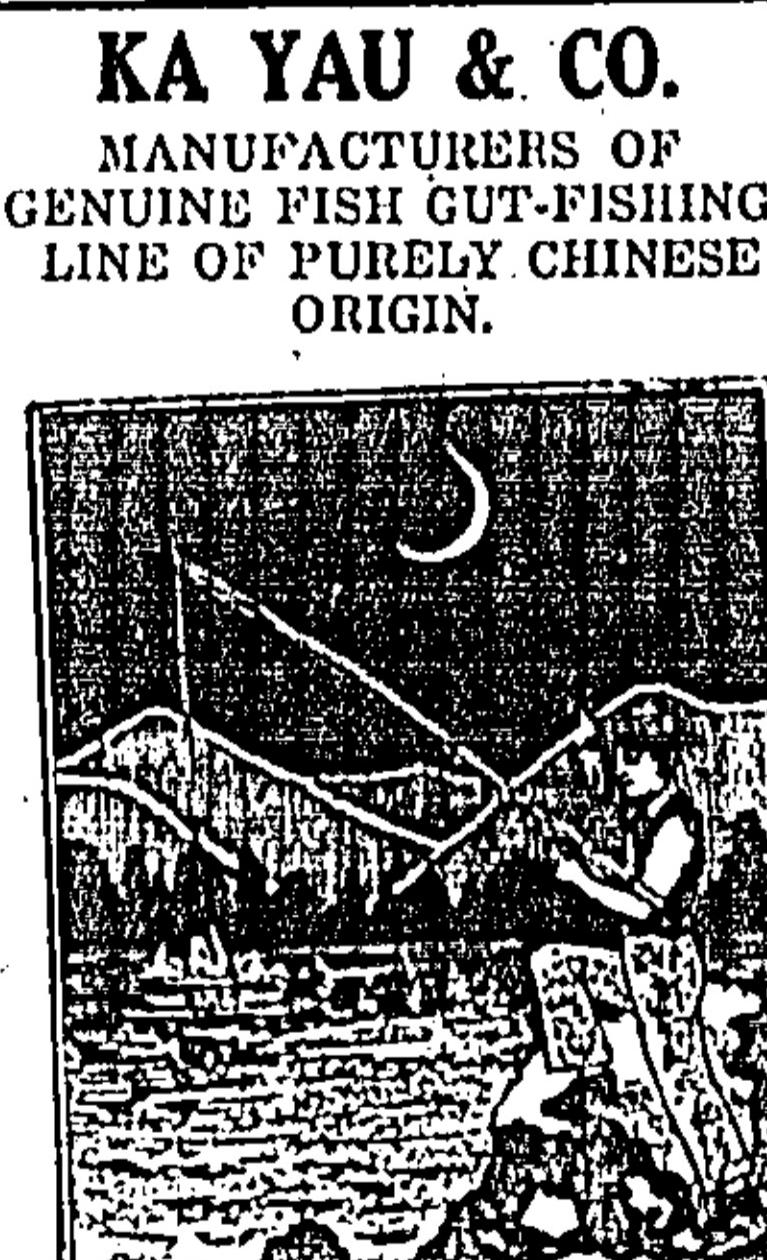
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ALLEGED ROBBERY
WITH VIOLENCE

Bag Snatched From European Lady

ACCUSED REMANDED

Appearing on three charges, robbery with violence; larceny from the person, and petty larceny, before Mr. W. Schosfield at the Central Police Court yesterday morning, a 24-year-old unemployed, Chan Yau-chung, was remanded for a week to appear before two magistrates.

It was alleged that on Thursday last the complainant, Miss Florence Eva Thornhill, was walking in Duddell Street when defendant came up to her and, using violence, snatched her handbag.

Defendant denied all the charges and stated that he was walking along the street, when, for no reason at all, some one came up and caught hold of him.

Sub-Inspector M. Murphy appeared for the prosecution.

HAWKER'S LICENSE STOLEN

Attempt To Defraud Owner

TRICKY RASCAL COMMITTED TO PRISON

Liu Kau, a 30-year-old hawker, appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning charged with stealing a hawker's license by finding it, attempting to obtain money by false pretences from Sin Chuen, a licensed hawker, and assaulting him.

The license, which belonged to Sin Chuen, was picked by defendant, who then told the complainant that if he would give him 40 cents he would take him to the man who had the license in his possession. When Sin Chuen refused to pay, defendant assaulted him.

Defendant, who pleaded guilty, was sentenced to terms totalling one month's hard labour on the first two charges and fined \$10, in default 14 days imprisonment, on the third.

SHOW-CASE STOLEN FROM SHOP

WHILE MANAGER ANSWERED TELEPHONE CALL

Taking advantage of the absence of Mr. Y. Tanaka, manager of the Horuchi shop, No. 84, Johnston Road, Wan Chai, who had gone to the back of the shop to answer a telephone call, some unknown person entered the shop at about 4:35 p.m. on Friday and stole a glass show-case containing 36 fountain pens, valued at \$100, from the counter.

The police authorities were immediately informed of the theft, but the culprit has not yet been arrested.

BOY SCOUT APPOINTMENTS

The Government Gazette confirms the appointment of Mr. Edward Cock, M.B.E., J.P., as President of the Boy Scouts Association; of the Rev. Nelson Victor Halward, M.C.M.A., as Commissioner; and of Messrs. Lo Koon Kan and Lo Koon Hang jointly as Honorary Treasurer, ad interim. Mr. Cyril Champkin, J.P., will officiate in the duties of Commissioner as from May 11 during the absence from the Colony of Mr. Halward.

NEW ZEALAND PRIME MINISTER ARRIVES IN LONDON

London, yesterday.—The Prime Minister of New Zealand, Mr. G. W. Forbes, and Mrs. Forbes, arrived in London this evening to take part in the Silver Jubilee celebrations.

Several other speakers also contributed to the discussion.

11 KILLED IN TERRIFIC WIND

Little Rock, Arkansas, Yesterday. Eleven people have been killed and 60 injured by a terrific wind accompanied by an electrical storm in Mississippi county.—Reuter.

SIAMESE VAGRANTS DETAINED

Members Of Touring Conjuring Troupe

STRANDED BY RUNAWAY MANAGER

Bis Tuladananay and Dieb Ngu Chang, two Siamese, charged with vagrancy before Mr. Q. A. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court yesterday, were sent to the House of Detention. Sub-Inspector Nolloth said that the defendants arrived in the Colony on April 13. They were members of a conjuring troupe, who were brought here from Siam by a man who had promised them \$150 a month each for staging shows. The man had since gone to Canton, leaving them destitute.

He asked that they be sent to the House of Detention until such time as arrangements could be made to have them sent to Siam. His Worship assented.

THEFT FROM CARS AT UNIVERSITY

Thief Caught Trying To Sell Loot

SIR W. HORNELL AND MISS GERRARD ROBBED

Ying Jing Wai, unemployed, was sentenced to two months' hard labour for the larceny of a dashboard clock and spanner from Sir William Hornell's car at the University garage.

He was sentenced to a further two months for the theft of three spanners and a pair of pliers from the car of Miss Gerard, daughter of Professor Gerard of the Hong Kong University.

Defendant was seen by a detective in Queen's Road trying to sell the articles. When questioned he admitted stealing them from the University garage.

THE GUARDS IN HONG KONG

Impressive Tableau In Queen's Road

An imposing Jubilee display is to be seen in the window of The Pharmacy, Queen's Road Central, depicting The Mall and the approach of the Guards Band from Buckingham Palace. It is a sight to gladden the heart, this spectacle of the world's first regiment resplendent in their Bearskins and Scarlet, heralding the approach of H.M. the King.

The tableau is worth seeing. It was effected by the courtesy of A. Wandler, Ltd., the manufacturers of the well-known product "Ovaltine."

NATIONAL CHRISTIAN COUNCIL OF CHINA

Dr. John R. Mott, whose work for the Y.M.C.A. movement and similar youth organisations is well known, and whose biography under the sub-title of "World Citizen" was published a couple of years ago, was the principal speaker at the tenth meeting of the National Christian Council of China at Shanghai on April 30. He discussed the question of further co-operation among the Christian bodies.

Several other speakers also contributed to the discussion.

TREASURY BILLS ISSUE

London, yesterday.—The total amount applied for in tenders for £36,000,000 worth of Treasury bills was £28,655,000. The maximum amount was allotted in bills of three months. The average rate per cent. was 10/1.01d., as compared with 10/1.85d. a week ago.—British Wireless Service.

SCOUT AND GUIDE JAMBORALLY

Wednesday's Function At The Valley

GOVERNOR AND LADY PEEL TO ATTEND

The Scout and Guide Associations hope that the residents of Hong Kong will attend their Jamborally on Wednesday next at the Hong Kong Football Club Ground, Happy Valley, at 4 p.m. As seats are not reserved, it is hoped that everyone attending the show will be punctual. His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel are due to arrive at 4 p.m.

Boy Scouts and Girl Guides from Canton and Boy Scouts from Macao will take part in the Jamborally, while the Band of the 1st Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment, under the direction of Bandmaster Griflett, will play during the afternoon, by kind permission of Major Griffett and the Officers of the Regiment.

There will be Bridge Building by the Scouts, a Floral Pageant, Country Dancing, and Badge Work Displays; Handicraft by Girl Guides will be on sale and Handicraft by the Scouts will be on exhibition.

His Excellency the Governor will take the Salute at the March Past, and the Colony Standard will be presented to the Colony Commissioner by Lady Peel.

Prices of admission are: Covered stands \$1.00; Open Stands 20 cents.

Tickets will be sold on the ground.

The Happy Valley Tram or No. 1 Bus will convey those intending to be present to the Jamborally.

CANTON AND PAN-AMERICAN AIR PROJECTS

MR. BIXBY SHOWS OPTIMISM

ANTICIPATES NO TROUBLE OVER FACILITIES

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, Yesterday. Pan-American Airways have definitely decided to inaugurate a trans-Pacific air service, linking Canton with San Francisco, according to an interview with Mr. H. M. Bixby as reported yesterday morning by the *Kwan Shing Po*, a local vernacular paper.

Mr. Bixby is one of the six members of the American Economic Mission which arrived here on April 30 and left last Thursday by air for Shanghai. He is also an official of Pan-American Airways, which owns 40 per cent. of the China National Aviation Corporation.

The paper quoted Mr. Bixby as saying that the trans-Pacific service will be operated as far as Manila if the Chinese Government does not allow the planes to land at Canton, but that he saw no reason for denying such facilities. Mr. Bixby stated that the most hazardous and longest part of the trip is from the American coast to Honolulu, but that had been successfully tested in a recent round trip.

Mr. Bixby stated that Midway and Wake Islands are not inhabited and must be properly developed before they can be used for landing purposes.

NEW FRANCO-SOVIET AGREEMENT

Mutual Assistance Agreed Upon

COMMON ACTION AGAINST AN AGGRESSOR

Paris, Yesterday. The protocol of the Franco-Soviet pact lays down that in the event of unprovoked aggression on the part of any European State each signatory will immediately come to the assistance of the other by immediately complying with the recommendations of the League of Nations Council as soon as they are issued under Article XVI of the Covenant. Should the Council not issue recommendations or fail to reach an unanimous decision the obligation of assistance will nevertheless apply.

The undertakings to assist refer only to aggression against either of the signatories on their own territory and, it should be understood, come into play only within the limits contemplated in the three-party agreement previously projected between the Soviets, France and Germany, under which each of them would have been pledged to assist any of them subjected to aggression on the part of one of these three States.—Reuter.

EDINBURGH BY-ELECTION

London, yesterday.—The result of the by-election, which showed no change, at West Edinburgh was as follows:

Mr. T. M. Cooper (Nationalist) 16,373.

Mr. W. McAdam (Labour) 10,402.

Sir George Pals (Liberal) 4,050.—British Wireless Service.

Captain Goffrey Colman, a director of the famous Mustard firm, has been proved at £1,272,778. Estate duty amounting to £524,984 has been paid.—British Wireless Service.

FAR EASTERN HEALTH REPORT FOR WEEK

There were six cases of smallpox reported in Hong Kong, and one case each in Macao and Shanghai, none of which proved fatal, during the week ended April 27. During the same period 113 cases were reported in Bombay and 162 cases in Calcutta, also, with no deaths. During the same period, 262 cases of cholera were reported in Calcutta.

KING AND YEOMEN OF THE GUARD

Inspection At The Palace In June

450th. YEAR OF FORMATION

IT is understood that the King intends to inspect the King's Bodyguard of the Yeomen of the Guard, to mark the 450th year of their formation and also the twenty-fifth anniversary of his Majesty's accession.

The inspection will probably take place in the grounds of Buckingham Palace, towards the end of June, on a date yet to be fixed.

Only once before had his Majesty arranged to inspect his Bodyguard. On that occasion the weather was so wet that the inspection, as such, was cancelled, and the King met the Yeomen in the shelter of St. James's Palace. The Duke of Connaught had for many years carried out the annual inspection of the Yeomen in the grounds of St. James's Palace.

Formed in 1485 by Henry VII, the Yeomen of the Guard is not only the oldest Royal Body Guard, but also the oldest military corps now existing in this or any other country.

"Friends Of King"

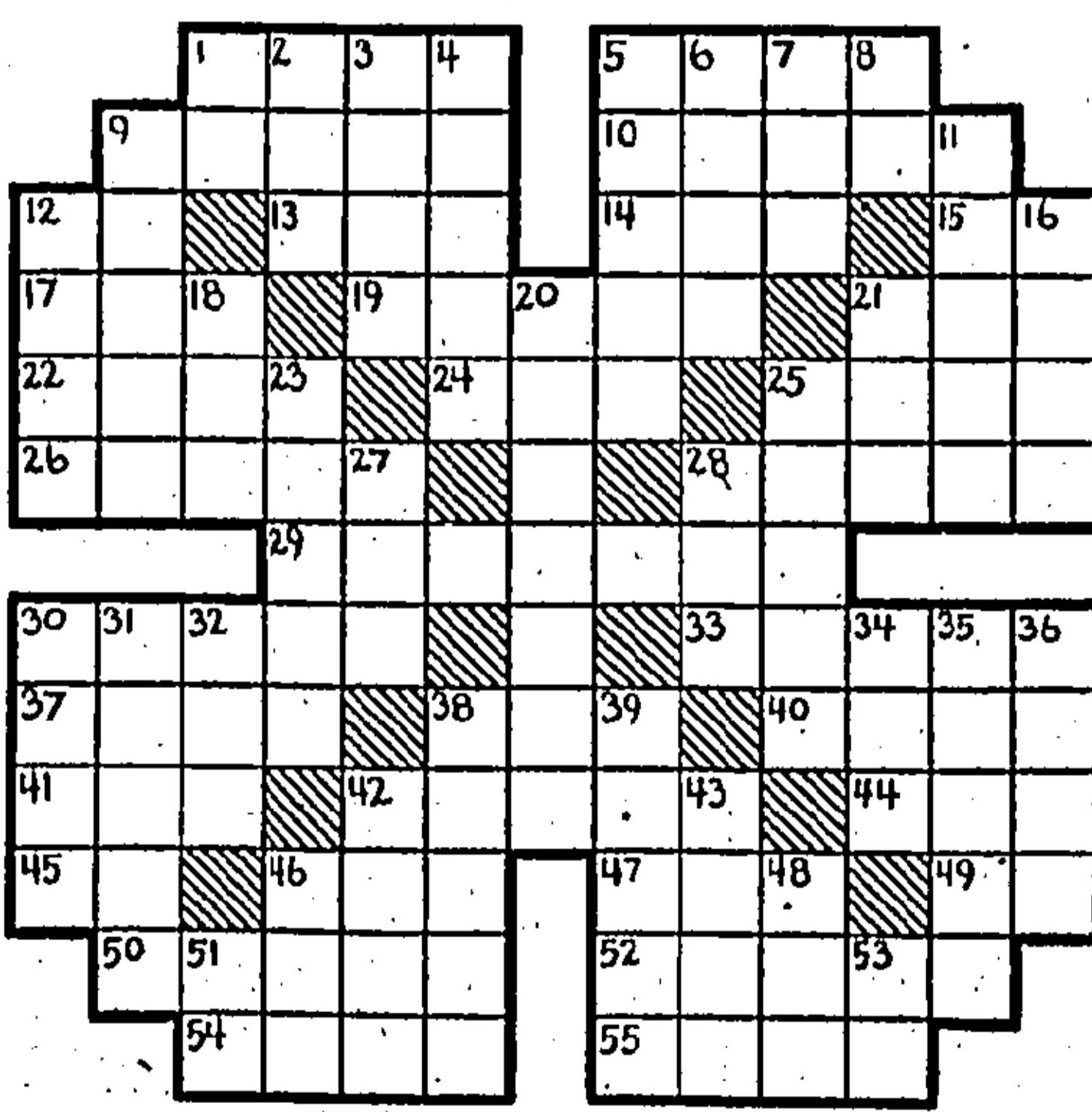
It is known that the first members of the corps comprised those "faithful friends and servants who had been with the King in exile and fought by his side at Bosworth Field." A Warrant—still extant in the Record Office—which, dated September 18, 1485, contains the words:

"To William Browne, Yeoman of the King's Guard, for good service that Our humble and faithful servant hath heretofore done unto Us as well beyond the seas as at Our late viceroy's journeys."

The same principle endures today, for appointment to the corps is governed by war services. When on parade, the medals of every campaign and battle of the last 60 years and almost every Order and decoration may be observed on the breast of one or other of the Guard. The oldest serving member of the Corps today is 87 years of age and still parades for duty, travelling from Devonshire when on the rota. Among his decorations are the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal and that for Tel-el-Kebir.

OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and ntho.



HORIZONTAL
1-Departed
5-Paid
9-Tinge
10-English novelist
12-Preposition
13-June-bug.
14-Lair
15-Pronoun
17-Raw metal
19-A light anchor
21-Review (abbr.)
22-Rescue
24-Explore
26-Relieve
28-Slumber
29-Pertaining to the mind
30-Extinguish
32-Very fast
33-To take care of the stock
37-Land measure
38-A wager
40-Consumes
41-Play

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
42-A French sculptor
44-Auto fuel
46-Senior (abbr.)
48-Chum
47-Snare
49-Musical note
50-A brother's daughter
52-Choose
54-Mineral springs
55-Narrow strip of wood
VERTICAL
1-Depart
2-Aged
3-A recess in a garden
4-Made a mistake
5-For splitting wood
6-To the sheltered side
7-Noise
8-Very
9-Marine growth

CONTRACT BRIDGE

When You Bid One No-Trump

By Lieut-Col.
H.M. Beasley

WHAT is the most suitable distribution for an original opening bid of One No-Trump, and what are the minimum requirements for this bid?

This question has been the subject of much controversy among Contract Bridge players, and for some years it has been considered inadvisable to open with a bid of One No-Trump if the holding gave you the choice of opening with "one of a suit" or "one no-trump." It is, of course, true that if you open with a one of a suit you can eventually revert to no-trumps if the subsequent bidding indicates that the partnership holds sufficient strength in the other three suits.

With a no-trump bid the holding of honour cards is essential, as it is under their protection that the smaller cards become trick winners. In a trump suit the holding of the majority of the trumps is essential. You will seldom find that trump suit declaration is successful unless the partnership holds eight trumps, distributed either 6 and 3, or 4 and 4, between the two hands.

Analysis of hundreds of hands played in duplicate matches has proved conclusively that, on average, 38 per cent. of game hands are made in no-trumps and 56 per cent. in one of the major suits—only 11 per cent. in minor suits. Furthermore, this analysis has proved that about one deal in every three will produce a game hand, if the correct contract suitable for the two hands can be found.

Most contract players are well acquainted with the method of valuing a No Trump bid by allotting relative numerical values to honours:

A = 4 Q = 2
K = 3 J = 1

It has been the custom to open with a bid of one No-Trump if the hand counts 12, 13 or 14 points.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION

PILOTS	BARNES
LENIENT	STATION
ACE	MEEDERSIDE
MEDERSIDE	DOE
LIVASEA	TEEMADE
TURNED	ATAILS
HETREE	STANCE
ESS	DATES YES
O	IVY
SLY	SERES RAM
EVENTS	REFINE
PEELAN	LEODDS
ASYLORN	SLATEDO
RAPE	IVORIES CALA
SWELLED	TRIPPER
ESSAY	APERG

Analysis has proved that it is dangerous to open the bidding on a hand with counts less than 14 points with the strength distributed over at least three suits.

If you open the bidding on a weaker holding than this, you may be doubled by the opponent on your left. Your partner may hold nothing, the next opponent may hold the remainder of the strength and you will find yourself sandwiched between two fairly strong hands and suffer a severe penalty.

Now let us consider the position if you decided that you will confine your opening no-trump bids to hands which are of the 4 3 3 3 distribution.

If you are doubled and sent out an SOS "redouble" to your partner, the latter is in possession of some precise information as to the distribution of your hand, and is therefore in a better position to determine what is likely to be the best final contract.

The following hands each contain a bidable suit and are of the 4 3 3 3 distribution, but the one no-trump bid is preferable.

1 2 3

S A J 10 4 S 10 6 2 S A 3 5
H 7 6 4 H A Q 9 4 H 7 6 4
D K 10 4 D K 9 8 D A K J 4
C A Q 4 C K Q 9 C Q 10 6

It would be absurd to suggest that you should never bid a no-trump unless you hold the above distribution, as there are types of hands on which it is obviously advisable to bid a no-trump in preference to a suit.

I refer now to hands of the 5 3 3 2 distribution where the five cards suit in a minor—A-hand of the following type:

S K 5 D A Q J 9 6
H J 3 2 C K 10 9

If you open with a bid of one no-trump on a hand of this pattern, your partner, being under the impression that your no-trump bid is of the 4 3 3 3 distribution, will, of course, be deceived.

If your partner can respond at all, he may bid 2 hearts or 2 spades. If the response is 2 hearts, you are not in any trouble, but if it is 2 spades, you are in a slight quandary. Should you revert to 2 no-trumps, or leave the contract at 2 spades, 2 no-trumps is perhaps your best bid. Your partner's next response, if any, will naturally depend on the strength and distribution of his hand. Your 2 no-trump bid will, at any rate, have warned him that you have not much support for his spade suit. If his hand is strong in spades, he can continue in that suit.

If his hand is a two-suiter, he can bid the other suit. If his strength is distributed, he can revert to No Trumps, or pass.

"KING'S FOREST" TO BE PLANTED

In Commemoration Of Silver Jubilee

AVENUE TO BE NAMED AFTER QUEEN MARY

Great Britain is to have a new forest, which is to be known as "The King's Forest."

The Forestry Commissioners have announced that they have recently acquired for afforestation some 6,000 acres, formerly part of the Gulgford estate in Suffolk. They have obtained King George's permission to call the new forest after him, in honour of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his accession to the throne.

In the King's Forest a three-mile beech avenue will also be planted. It will be called "Queen Mary's Avenue."

The commissioners have also received permission to give the name "Coed-Y-Brenin" ("King's Forest") to an area in the Welsh Mountains

THE KING AND THE BEACONS

To Light The First In Hyde Park
BROADCAST TO-MORROW

THE King has consented to light the first beacon in the Scout movement's nation-wide chain of fires which tomorrow evening will blaze from every eminence in Britain in honour of the Royal Jubilee.

The site selected is in Hyde Park, where a central beacon 20ft. high will be built. At 6.55 p.m. His Majesty will press a button in Buckingham Palace, and thus, by means of an electrical firing device, light the beacon.

Five minutes later the great network of beacons all over the country will blaze forth, and it is hoped that there will be no vantage-point in Britain from which a beacon cannot be seen.

This will be the culminating ceremony of the celebrations tomorrow.

Boy Scout headquarters in London has received details of 687 beacons from 50 of their county areas.

Beacon Traditions

The beacons will, in many cases, blaze on sites which have become traditional.

Some have been built on hill-tops used for warning signals when the Armada sailed up the Channel, and again when England was all ready for an invasion by Napoleon.

Later, when bonfires were lit as signals of rejoicing, many of the same sites were chosen.

The West Riding of Yorkshire displayed a particularly keen historical instinct when organising its chain of bonfires in celebration of King Edward's Coronation.

A century-old map in the county archives, showing the scheme organised to give warning if Napoleon landed, was used as a guide for the Coronation bonfire-chain.

The official programme for tomorrow will include:

Thanksgiving service in St. Paul's Cathedral, a Processional drive through London and Broadcast message to the Empire.

Probably, also, Their Majesties will drive through the West-end at night to see the illuminations.

THE PRINCE IN JUBILEE REVIEW

Broadcast Homage To The King

PREMIER TO SPEAK

(By Collie Knot) DURING Jubilee week the Prince of Wales will for the first time broadcast in a composite radio programme.

To-morrow evening, before the King's Empire speech, there will be produced a special Jubilee panorama programme, arranged by Dr. Harold Temperley and Mr. Laurence Gilliam, typifying the 25 years of the King's reign.

This will include loyal greetings from the Dominions and Colonies.

Premier's Homage

After these messages the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, will give homage to the King as from Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Prince of Wales will then be heard. He will conclude this dramatic Jubilee reconstruction by himself giving homage to his father on behalf of the whole Empire.

A moment later and the King will reply from a room at Buckingham Palace. This speech will be a world broadcast and will last three minutes.

Rush For Seats

There was an exceedingly heavy demand for seats from which to view to-morrow's Royal Jubilee procession.

There were 6,000 seats in Piccadilly which were available to the public at prices from £3 3s. to £7 7s. each. The proceeds are to be devoted to the British Charities Association.

Formerly known as Vaughan Forest, it is intended similarly to select a forest area in Scotland.



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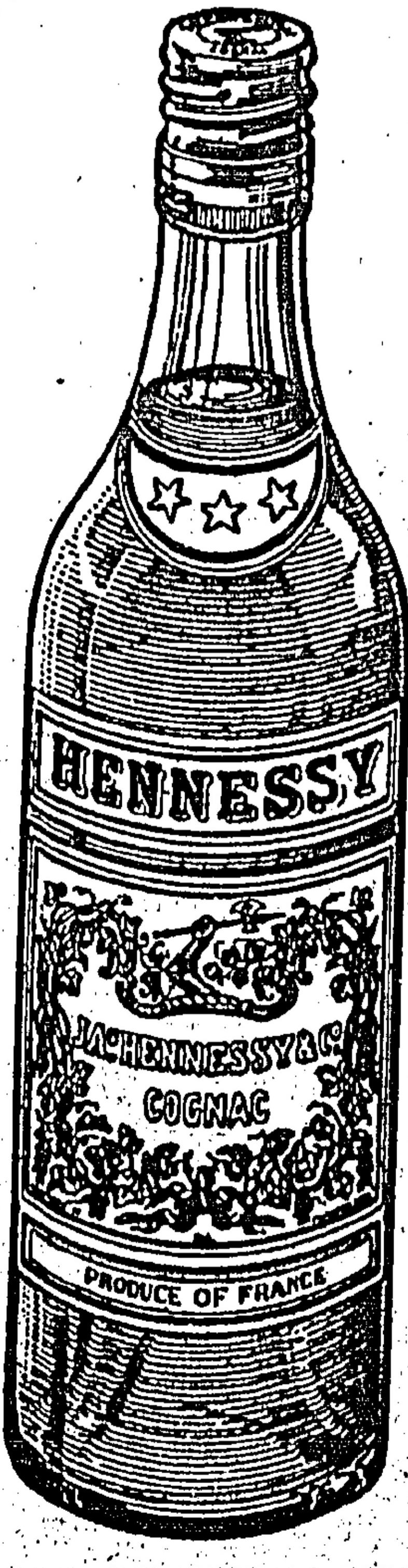
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THE JOYS OF A BIG FAMILY

Mother As Queen Of Her Small World

Influence Of Home Life On Future Of Race

(By ENID LYONS)

Mrs. Lyons, a beautiful woman with chestnut hair and blue eyes, is the mother of 11 children—six girls and five boys—the eldest of whom is 18 years and the youngest 15 months old. She is now on her first visit to England with her husband, who leads one of the Dominion delegations which are in Britain for the Jubilee celebrations.

Mrs. Lyons, in addition to caring for her large family, has always assisted her husband in his public life. She is a brilliant platform speaker, and the women of Australia regard her as a fountain of wisdom from whom come the answers to all their troubles; they write to her by the hundred, and she replies personally to every letter.

ABOUT 30 years ago the impression first began to grow that the woman who became the mother of a large family was something of a lunatic. It is only in recent years that she has been considered a criminal lunatic.

She has found herself in a position demanding defence, and if she has interested herself in affairs outside her home she has been a combatant on the most hotly contested front. Yet it is an astounding fact that interest in families and in family life was never greater.

The Modern Mother

It may be that the majority of people are conscious of an underlying, uncomfortable feeling that "perhaps there is something in it."

Life for the modern mother of many children is not nearly so simple an affair as in days gone by. Physiologically there are difficulties to be faced that mothers of an earlier generation never knew. The whole current of civilisation seems to have set against motherhood. Public opinion approves the very small family.

The rush of modern life makes difficult the bearing and upbringing of children, yet a very high standard of efficiency is set for the mother of to-day; of necessity her children will have to do with less

than if there were fewer brothers and sisters, and she will be sometimes harassed by knowledge of that fact. Indeed, she undertakes a tremendous task.

What, then, are her compensations?

I would say love and the discovery of the secret of perpetual youth.

Queen Of Her World

In a family of growing boys and girls, a mother is a beloved queen. Around her a whole small world revolves, and through her sacrifice, her ability, and her courage, maintains its place as the centre of the greater world without. And youth will be her everlasting portion, springing like a fountain in her heart, even when her body comes to age.

If she will allow it, there will be constant mental rejuvenation in all her contacts with her family and from her efforts to educate them and to know the world in which they must one day play their parts.

Bringing Up Children

I have been asked on many occasions what I consider to be the best method of bringing up children. Invariably my reply has been that I have had just a sufficient number of children to realise that there is no best method at all.

POCKET MONEY FOR CHILDREN

East Ham Jubilee Decision

EVERY child in East Ham will spend sixpence during the Jubilee.

Sixpenny vouchers will be distributed by the Council.

There will be free cinema shows, a mass procession and march past the Mayor, and continuous entertainments in the parks.

There will be flood-lighting and dancing in all the parks and on Wanstead Flats.

I even begin to think that there is something in Topay's mode of upbringing. She "just grew." The measure of a mother's success is the measure of her adaptability. Background counts for more in the life of a child than constant correction. It is for that reason that I, who am a thoroughgoing devotee in the cause of woman's right to her own individuality, yet believe that the "mother on the hearth" is the one who has the greatest chance of success.

I do not for one moment contend that it is necessary for her to do everything required for her babies herself, but I know that if she cannot, she will miss something more precious than almost any other experience. That I am losing six months of the first two years of my baby's life is something that I cannot bear to think about.

Home Influence

I have already said that the members of a large family cannot possibly have everything that they would if there were fewer of them. It is obvious. But what those children lose in material things they gain in spiritual development and in social education, as the psychologists call it.

They will learn early that life is not always happiest for the one who has most; that the most useful person in a community is not always the strongest, nor the one most loved the cleverest. They will learn, in short, that the law of "tooth and claw" is not the law that rules a happy home, and can never be the law which rules a happy world.

With the mother, mainly rests the maintenance of the family. There is a great work performed for the most part, in secret, without thought of self or hope of reward, but carrying as its consequence the very destiny of nations.

Firm Foundation

Every mighty nation of the past has had its roots well planted in the soil of family life, drawing therefrom the sustenance that kept vigorous its greatness.

The British Empire rests upon its firm foundation, and, in a larger sense, upon the family feeling among the people of its component parts. It is a feeling based upon mutual respect and loyalty, and when that feeling is destroyed the Empire will fall.

Upon family life civilisation itself was founded, and it may be that in its final crash the undermining of its foundations will prove to have been the beginning of its end.

SHOWING TO-DAY SIMULTANEOUSLY

CENTRAL

QUEEN'S ROAD, CENTRAL

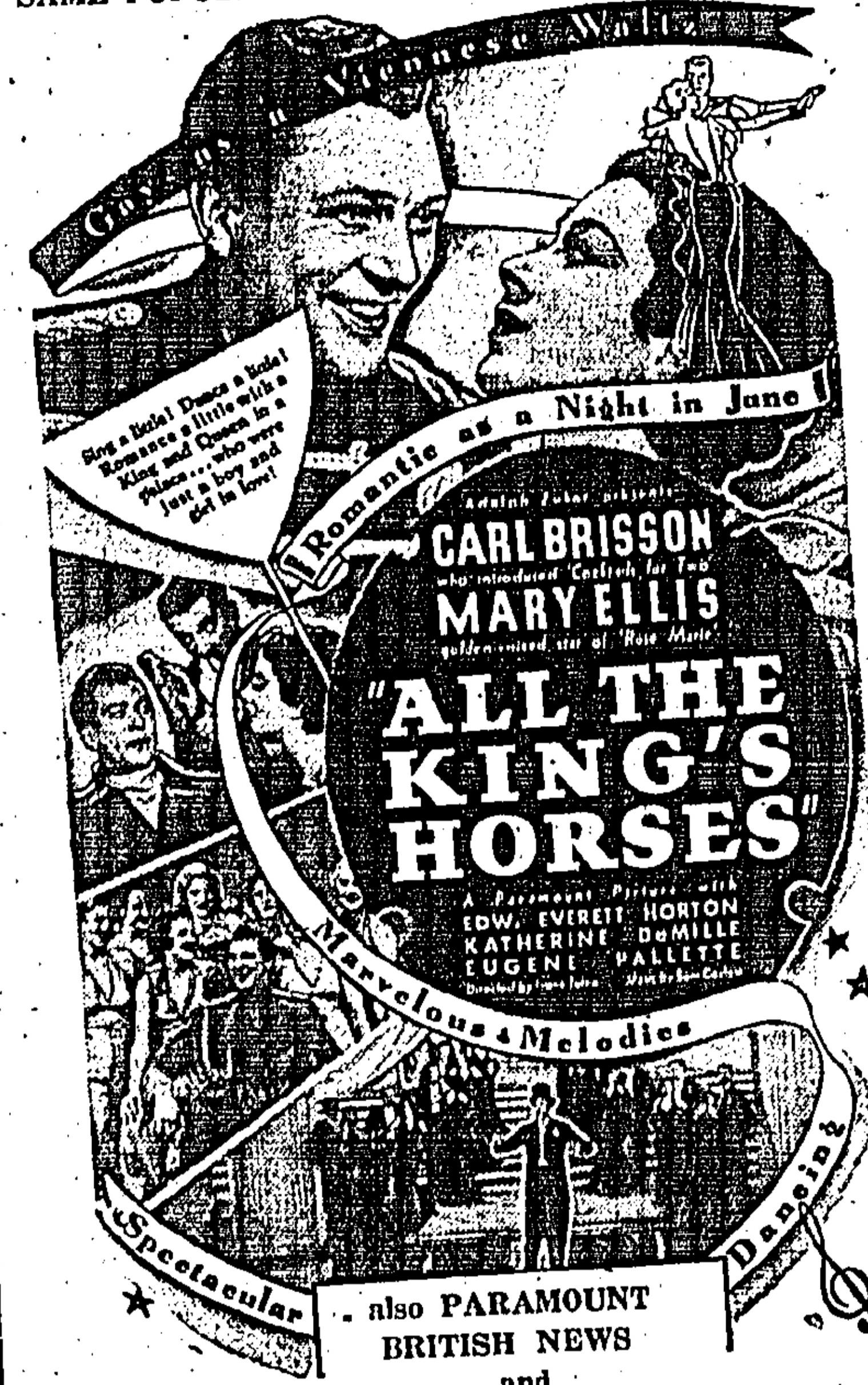
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WISE & OTHERWISE

Tragic Stuff
He was disappointed in love...
Her brother wouldn't lend him any
money.

Recipe
Quickest way to break a friend-
ship—go broke yourself.

Still Going Strong
A writer states that the art of Putting A Kick In It
conversation is dead. He obviously An armless bartender in New
has never had to wait outside York shakes cocktails with his feet.

Proposals In Public
A woman is suing a vicar for
breach of promise. With such
small congregations nowadays
clergymen run this danger every
time they say, "Dearly beloved."

Joke For Wives
A man complained to a London
magistrate that his wife had been
nursing a grudge for six months.
He must have been very ill.

Love Lyric
"I would go to the ends of the
earth for you."
"But would you stay there?"

SUBURBAN SILHOUETTE
Mrs. Brown never has any peace
of mind when her husband is
away from home. She loves him
so.

Mrs. Smith never has any peace
of mind when her husband is away
from home. She knows him so.

Answer To Correspondent
Henry (Kowloon): Your wife's
dream girl that he realises how bad
her horribleness can easily be cured by
going home earlier the next night.

AWARENING
It isn't until a man marries his
dream girl that he realises how bad
her horribleness can easily be cured by
going home earlier the next night.

JUBILEE HOLIDAYS

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QUEEN'S
THEATRE



A tremendous concourse of Chinese spectators watching the Silver Jubilee Dragon wending its way through the streets of the Colony last Thursday during one of the many rehearsals which the Chinese Committee held in Canton after months of preparation. (King's Studio.)

The enormous head and tail of the dragon were specially made to order

London Ready To Celebrate Silver Jubilee

**Gay Decorations On
Royal Route**

**STREAMERS CATCH ALIGHT
IN PICCADILLY**

London Yesterday.
Warm, sunny weather brought vast numbers of Jubilee sightseers into the London streets yesterday and traffic on the roads and pavements was much congested. Numbers of family parties cruised about in open taxicabs and carts.

As usual a large section of the crowd congregated in the neighbourhood of Buckingham Palace in the hope of seeing the King, but His Majesty was engaged throughout the day in routine matters. H.M. the Queen, accompanied by H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester, was warmly cheered when she left the Palace in the afternoon to drive to Kew Gardens, where about an hour was spent.

World-wide Congratulations
A special staff is engaged at the Palace in dealing with the very large number of messages of congratulation which during the past few days have been received from all parts of Britain and the Empire and from many foreign countries.

The Empire's tribute to the King in spoken form, relayed by wireless by the King's representatives and heads of administrations in many distant parts of the Empire, will be heard on Monday evening on all B.B.C. transmitters, to be followed by a message to the Empire from His Majesty. The King's special microphone has been installed in his study at Buckingham Palace and tests and necessary adjustments of the apparatus were made yesterday.

Gay Streets
In the London streets the finishing touches are being given to the decorations and newly erected stands are being draped with the Royal colours. They have transformed the appearance of the streets on the Royal route, particularly in the West End. The stands in front of the clubs in Pall Mall and Waterloo Place give a gay mediæval aspect to these neighbourhoods.

Some excitement was caused in Piccadilly where a section of blue and gold streamers hung between coloured Venetian poles, which are a feature of the decorations along the procession routes and many of the streets in the shopping areas, caught fire. It was extinguished before the arrival of the Fire Brigade.—British Wireless Service.

EMPIRE BROADCAST OF JUBILEE

Full Programme

London, Yesterday.
The special Jubilee feature of the British Broadcasting Corporation's Empire transmission programmes during the coming week is as follows:

The Thanksgiving Service attended by Their Majesties at St. Paul's Cathedral, together with a commentary on the Royal procession on May 6 will be broadcast at 10.05 a.m., 2 p.m., and 9 p.m. on May 7 at 8 a.m. and on May 8 at 5.15 a.m.

A review of the King's reign, with messages of loyal greeting from overseas, terminating with a speech by His Majesty. The King will be broadcast on May 6 at 5.30 and 11.50 p.m. and on May 7 at

Lithuania Replies To Stresa Note

**Situation In Memel
Should Be Cleared**

Form Of Government Criticised

London, Yesterday.
The Lithuanian Government's reply to the joint communication, which in accordance with the decision reached at Stresa, was recently presented to that Government on behalf of Britain, France, and Italy, was yesterday handed to representatives in Kovno of those powers.

The note of the three Powers, while recognising that the Lithuanian Government had encountered certain difficulties, declared that the present situation in Memel was irreconcilable with the terms of the statute which provides, as a basis of the system of Government, for the existence and regular functioning of the Chamber and of a directorate possessing its confidence.

"The Lithuanian Government was called upon to bring this situation to an end promptly by ensuring the constitution of such a directorate and an early meeting of the Chamber.—British Wireless Service.

MR. BALDWIN'S LOYALTY

Meaning Of The Crown To Britons

London, Yesterday.
Mr. Stanley Baldwin, presiding at the Primrose League demonstration yesterday, said that the position of the Crown and of the King in this country was not merely a matter of sentiment, important as that was. It was a matter of the most profound political interest and importance. If in any cataclysm the Crown vanished the Empire would vanish with it.

"As older Imperial ties become attenuated the tie of the Crown becomes stronger and more personal every year we live. We have evidence of that to-day in the tone and spirit and temper of the demonstrations and thanksgivings which are patent throughout the world from one end of the Empire to the other. So we may pray that the Crown, that great symbol of our race and of our unity throughout the world, may be perpetual with the constitution of our country. This is the link, which, once broken, can never be repaired. So long as that tradition to which we have been accustomed, and our fathers before us, lasts it will be blessed through this country and no power on earth can ever break it," he concluded.—British Wireless Service.

SPANISH CABINET RESIGNS

Madrid, Yesterday.—The Premier, Don Alejandro Lerroux, has tendered the resignation of the Cabinet to the President, not having a sufficient Parliamentary majority to carry out the Government's programme.—Reuters.

6.15 a.m., 11.05 a.m. and 2.40 p.m.
The visit by Their Majesties the King and Queen to Westminster Hall to receive addresses presented by the Houses of Lords and Commons will be broadcast on May 9 at 10.20 a.m., and 8.45 p.m., 9 p.m. and 11.30 p.m., and on May 10 at 6 p.m. Greenwich time.—British Wireless Service.

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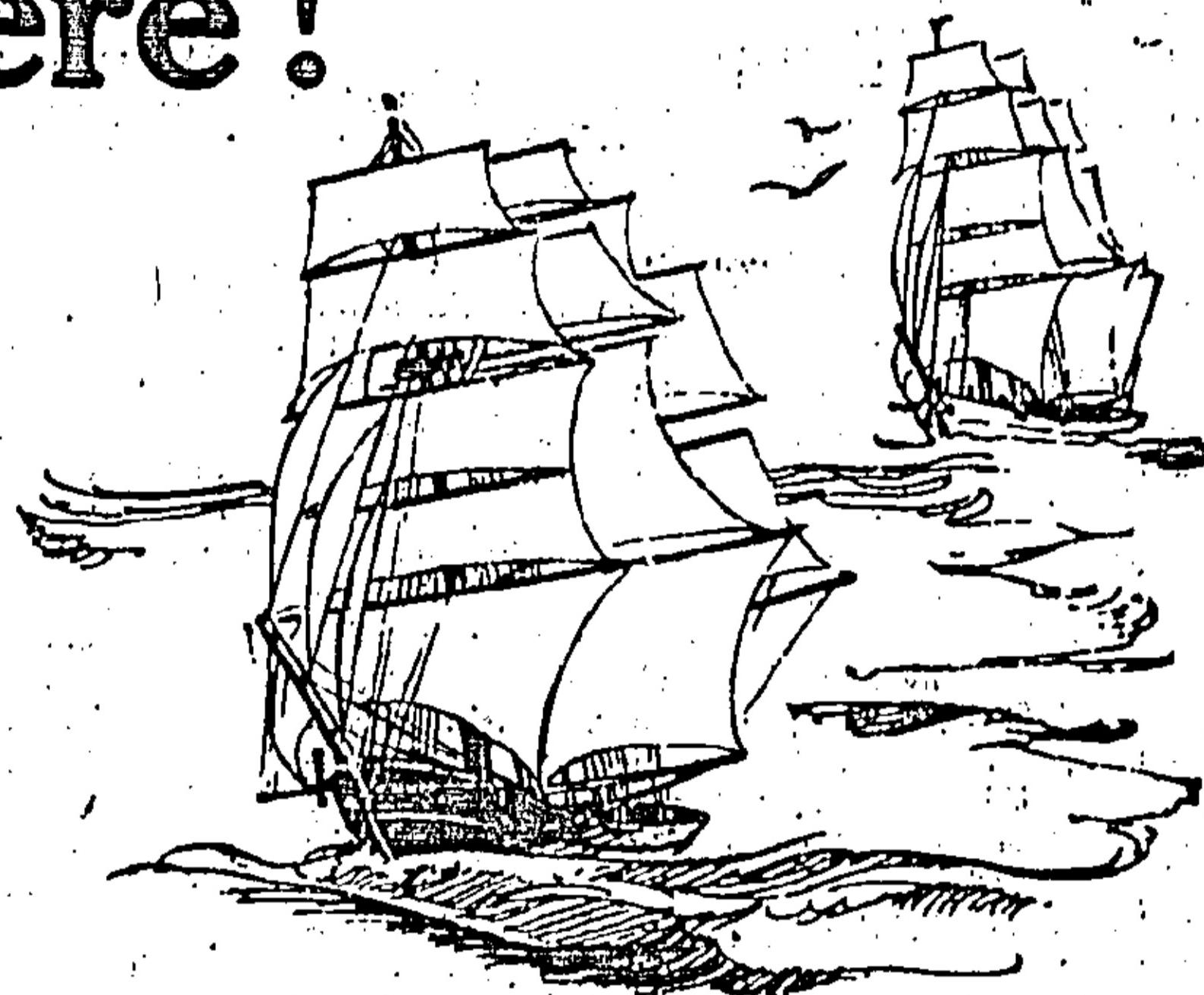
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MR. BLACK RIDES FINE FINISH ON BAYARDO TO PAY \$196.80

MR. FROST WINS ON KING'S JUBILEE!

SOLDIER OF HONOUR STRAINS TENDON

DYNASTY STABLE FIELD DAY

MR. Donald Black's brilliant finish on Mr. Hem's Bayardo to win the New Zealand Handicap and pay a win dividend of \$196.80 provided the feature of the Fifth Extra Race Meeting at the Valley yesterday.

On a day in which only four favourites failed to win Mr. Leo Frost, the prospective 1935 champion jockey, secured three winners to carry off the riding honours and the Dynasty stable won three races to top the owners' list of successes.

Mr. Frost was given a great reception when he was led in on Mr. Dynasty's King's Jubilee after winning the Indian Empire Handicap by a short head from Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose-Queen — at the Silver Jubilee Meeting. There was a very fair crowd present shortly after 3 p.m.

SADKO'S STRONG FINISH

Glorious weather featured the opening of the Meeting, but there were comparatively few present for the British Empire Handicap, which saw seven of the eleven entries accept.

Owing to Mr. Davis's indisposition the Hem crack, Macaroni, was taken out by Mr. D. Black, while King's Bounty, which was ridden to a short head win over Macaroni last time out, was ridden by Mr. da Rosa in view of the Tiger's promotion to "B" Class.

Mr. da Rosa set a very fast first quarter on King's Bounty, closely followed by The Tiger, but this opening burst of 0.29.3 proved Mr. Frost's undoing and the second favourite did no better than finish a poor fifth. Macaroni was nicely nursed all the way round and very nearly caught Hetman, the favourite, napping in the run home, being beaten by a short head. Bright View, which came into the foreground after the Rock, refused to finish as strong as he usually does and was forced into the minor placing ahead of King's Bounty.

Cavalcade's Triumph

Cavalcade returned to winning form in the Dominion of Canada Handicap when he came through nicely in the home straight to win by 1½ lengths from Valley View.

Mr. Pih held the favourite in until the back straight when he moved up from second last to fourth position. He displaced Double Chance after the Rock and then overhauled Touchstone and The Chetah to win by a convincing margin.

Touchstone and The Chetah finished well in the rear after acting as the pace-makers, while Invermark, the second favourite, was nowhere. Emergency Call taking third place and Lucky Strike fourth.

King's Jubilee Wins

Clear View set a very fast pace in the Indian Empire Handicap, but was finished at the Rock where Soldier of Victory took up the running with King's Jubilee close on his tail and Rose-Queen not far behind. Coming into the straight Mr. Li Shiu Pang's candidate still held his slender lead, but he was passed by King's Jubilee before the stands were reached; he came back, but was beaten into third place by Rose-Queen, the favourite, who went well over the last furlong. Soldier of Peace secured fourth place.

Mr. Frost's Third Win

Eighty-nine of the 392 backers of Soldier of Honour in the first leg of the "double" favoured Bold Captain's chances in the British Isles Handicap and were rewarded with \$34.70 as the result of Mr. Frost's narrow win from Mr. Proulx on High West, the favourite, after Messrs. Bellamy and Gordon's entry had secured a flying start. Flamingo secured third place just ahead of Forgemaster.

Mr. Black's Fine Finish

Mr. Black showed quite clearly the amazing advance he has made this season when he rode a grand finish on Bayardo to beat Pacific Hall, the favourite, by two lengths and pay his 41 supporters (out of 1,834) a win dividend of \$196.80. He came through very close race in the Australian Commonwealth Handicap after setting the pace, being deprived of the Pacific Hall took an early lead and then coming back strong and led until 20 yards from the post. Mr. Proulx was forced to take when he was unable to stave off a back seat in the early stages of Bayardo's challenge. Mr. Pan rode the race, but took the lead at the nicely judged race on Flying Rock. Alacrity, hard held over the Tourist, which beat Popular Star, first half mile, ran into third place, the second favourite, for third just ahead of Woodland Stag, who placed. Arctic Star, another favou-

HOW THE OWNERS FAARED

The following was how the owners fared yesterday:

	1st	2nd	3rd
Dynasty	3	0	0
Hem	1	2	9
Li Shiu Pang	1	0	1
C. N. K.	1	0	0
Wong Ping Shun	1	0	0
Ulster	1	0	0
Leung Kwok Cheong	1	0	0
Mrs. E. H. M. Tinson	1	0	0
L. T. F.	0	2	0
Eu Tong Sen	0	1	2
Bellamy & Gordon	0	1	0
E. S. K.	0	1	0
A. M. L. Soares	0	1	0
Dr. Lee Shiu Kee	0	0	2
Finder	0	0	1
L. Reidy	0	0	1
Wing	0	0	1
Totals	10	9	8

There was a dead heat for first and second places.

rite, finished nowhere.

1-2.00 P.M.—British Empire Handicap—Winner \$600. Second \$225.

For China Ponies, "B" Class. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Dynasty's Hetman, 156 lb....

(Mr. E. O. Butler)

Hem's Macaroni, 154 lb....

(Mr. D. Black)

Lan's Bright View 154 lb....

(Mr. S. Y. Liang)

Also ran:—Hydroplane, 159 lb.

(Mr. B. A. Proulx); King's Bounty,

163 lb., (Mr. G. U. da Rosa); Sol-

dier of China, 148 lb., (Mr. N.

Deitz); The Tiger, 155 lb., (Mr. L.

G. Frost).

7 starters.

Won by a short head and 1½

lengths.

Time: 1.59.2.

Parl-mutuel, winner \$12.30;

places, 1st \$6.30; 2nd \$7.70; 3rd

\$8.40.

Winner Places

Hetman 398 436

The Tiger 232 330

Macaroni 173 215

Bright View 164 169

King's Bounty 60 73

Soldier of China 60 70

Hydroplane 25 35

2-2.30 P.M.—Dominion of Canada Handicap—Winner \$100. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, "A" Class. Winners of \$5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1935, barred. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

Dynasty's King's Justice, 153 lb....

(Mr. L. G. Frost)

Hem's Gladitor, 158 lb....

(Mr. D. Black)

Li Shiu Pang's Caval-

cade, 165 lb....

(Mr. H. C. Pih)

Lan's Valley View, 145 lb....

(Mr. S. Y. Liang)

Dr. Lee Shiu Kee's Emergency

Call, 162 lb....

(Mr. S. N. Pan)

Also ran:—Double Chance, 161

lb., (Mr. A. R. Botelho); Inver-

mark, 165 lb., (Mr. N. Deitz); Luck-

Strike, 155 lb., (Mr. P. P. Botelho);

Propitious Time, 155 lb., (Mr. D.

Black); The Chetah, 154 lb., (Mr.

G. Frost); Touchstone, 151 lb.,

(Mr. B. A. Proulx).

9 starters.

Won by 1½ lengths and 1½

lengths.

Time: 2.42.2.

Parl-mutuel, winner \$14.10;

places, 1st \$8.20; 2nd \$13.10; 3rd

\$23.30.

Winner Places

Cavalcade 449 449

Invermark 225 251

Lucky Strike 199 201

Propitious Time 178 231

The Chetah 129 156

Valley View 108 175

Double Chance 89 145

Touchstone 64 71

Emergency Call 58 76

3-3.00 P.M.—Indian Empire Handicap—Winner \$500. Second \$200.

Third \$100. For China Ponies, Griffins of this Season. Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

Dynasty's King's Jubilee, 168 lb....

(Mr. L. G. Frost)

Eu Tong Sen's Rose-Queen, 165 lb....

(Mr. P. P. Botelho)

Li Shiu Pang's Soldier of Vic-

tory, 163 lb.... (Mr. H. C. Pih)

Also ran:—Clear View, 146 lb.,

(Mr. S. Y. Liang); Gold Coin, 148 lb., (Mr. D. Black); Soldier of

Peace, 160 lb., (Mr. N. Deitz).

6 starters.

Won by a short head and a short

head.

Time: 2.14.1.

Parl-mutuel, winner \$18.50;

places, 1st \$6.00; 2nd \$5.90; 3rd

\$9.30.

Winner Places

Rose-Queen 720 546

King's Jubilee 548 479

Soldier of Peace 122 197

Clear View 109 144

Gold Coin 94 144

Soldier of Victory 87 112

4-3.30 P.M.—Australian Commonwealth Handicap—Winner \$450. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies of any Season. Winners of one or more races since 1st January, 1935, barred. Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

Li Shiu Pang's Bold Captain

(Mr. L. G. Frost)

Also ran:—Bonny Dundee, 147 lb.

(Mr. G. R. Cheape); Daylight Eve,

160 lb., (Mr. G. U. da Rosa);

High Principle, 160 lb., (Mr. H. C. Pih); Light Brigade, 148 lb., (Mr. G. U. da Rosa); Lincluden, 151 lb., (Mr. C. D. A. Gregory); Matinee Idol, 152 lb., (Mr. E. O. Butler); Matinee Idol, 152 lb., (Mr. A. A. R. Botelho);

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ENCARNACAO HEADS JOCKEYS ON OPENING DAY OF S'hai RACES

HINDU ASSOCIATION MESSAGE TO KING

The following is the text of a telegram despatched by the Hindu Association to His Majesty the King through His Excellency the Governor:

"Hindu Association of Hong Kong desire to convey to His Majesty the expression of their most profound loyalty and sincerest congratulations on the occasion of the 25th anniversary of His Majesty's accession to the throne."

NAVAL SUPERIORITY IN FIRST HALF

(Continued from Page 4)

Fung's Leadership

Fung led the line well, especially shining in his distribution. He was well supported by Lai Shui-wing and Ip Pak-wah. The whole forward line worked smoothly, speed predominating in all their movements, and the Navy must thank Beard, Moss, and Crocker for keeping the score so low.

Moss was particularly brilliant in all his moves, kicking strongly and tackling and positioning excellently. His partner, Beard, was a close second, and, with Crocker at the top of his form in goal, the three composed a resolute rear-guard that defied all the clover-forts of South China until late in the game.

Splendid Wing Halves

Individually, the Navy halves were splendid, and it is difficult to single any one out as being better than another. Lancashire had a difficult task in watching Fung King-cheong, but managed to check quite a number of the latter's moves, and also lent a helping hand to Bowers and Hughes. The latter two wing-halves worked untiringly to set their forwards moving, but the passing of the intermediate line as a whole was spoilt by too strong kicking. Bowers, facing Lai Shui-wing and Tao, was a fearless tackler, and was of splendid assistance in the defence, but he was apt to wander from his position at times, often leaving Tao with a clear run.

The forwards opened extremely convincingly, employing typically English football methods, swinging the ball about from man to man with ease and accuracy. In front of goal, however, they faded right out of the picture, some of their finishing efforts being almost crude.

Inability To Shoot

Rose and Wearmouth caught the eye very often with many fine approach movements, the latter continually sending over perfect crosses. Cannell was a bustling and hard-working leader, whose energy and speed caught Wong Wah-kai napping on one or two occasions. The forwards, as a line, were fast and methodical, and caused the South China defence many anxious moments, but the fact remains that it was entirely due to their inability to shoot that lost the Navy the day.

Before the commencement, Commodore Sedgewick shook hands with the players, and Mrs. Sedgewick kicked off.

South China Press

South China attacked strongly and Tao made one or two fast runs, a fine shot of his from the wing hitting the upright much to Crocker's surprise!

The Navy gradually settled down, and assumed the upper hand, forcing three corners in rapid succession. Slavin headed in from the last of these, but Wong dived in time to push out from the corner. At the other end, Fung sent Tao away and his centre was met by Lai Shui-wing, whose effort was well gathered by Crocker.

Once Cannell almost netted, heading out of Wong Wah-kai's hands, the ball just dropping over the bar. The Navy were pressing continuously at this stage, and on one occasion, following a terrible goal-mouth muddle, Cannell shot through a maze of players into Wong's arms—an extremely lucky escape for the Chinese.

Wong's Good Keeping

A centre by Rose, who had previously cleverly worked the ball down through a crowd of opponents, was hooked goalwards by Cannell, but Wong Wah-kai dived and pushed out for a corner.

The interval came with the score sheet blank, the Navy having almost outplayed South China for about 30 minutes, with, however, only two weak shots being directed at Wong Wah-kai.



The Stand Court of the Hong Kong Cricket Club where S. A. Rumjahn beat G. R. M. Ricketts last Wednesday to win his fourth Colony singles title. On the same court he and his cousin, H. D. Rumjahn, won their eleventh successive Colony doubles title last Friday. (King's Studio).

TO-DAY'S LEAGUE PROGRAMME

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St. Joseph's entertain the Artillery at Caroline Hill, and as both teams are almost equal in strength, should produce a fairly even encounter.

The Police, did not display their true colours until late in the season, and, with the available talent at their disposal, should be a formidable combination next season.

Two Junior Games

The Second Division games feature to-day's programme, the Athletic and South China clashing on Club ground where some good soccer is anticipated.

BASEBALL GAME AT KOWLOON THIS MORNING

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They have a good following, and while their play is not brilliant, they play a good class of baseball and as a team are well balanced. They should fully extend the Top-Notchers.

South China Stars

All of the Top-Notchers have been seen in local baseball, having been the mainstays of the South China Athletic Association for a number of years.

The lineup of teams will be as follows—

Top-Notchers	Pos.	Chinese School
Chen Bui	p	K. Lum
C. Wong	c	P. Lum
M. Chuan	h	W. Ching
T. Lee	2b	C. Kwok
E. Chang	3b	B. Wong
D. Leong Ah	ss	Wally Ching
H. Young	lf	H. Leong
K. S. Chung	cf	D. Lum
H. Chang	rf	K. Chung

ANNUAL YACHTING BOYS' RACE

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Robena won the "Y" Class race from Widgeon and Zephyr, while Toyneetee crossed the line first in the "G" Class from four other yachts. Dorothea won the "H" Class event.

The Chinese opened the second half in splendid style, and from the start to the final whistle had matters almost entirely their own way. The Navy were now being harassed, and Moss and Crocker were in the thick of struggles in the sailors' goal area, which continued until the Chinese scored their first goal.

Fung's Opening Goal

After Moss had twice diverted shots by Ip Pak-wah and Tao, Fung King-cheong coolly evaded three opponents and netted with a fast low drive.

The Navy attempted to fight back, and once Cannell went near with a long range shot that curled round the upright. It was not long, however, before South China retaliated and Fung had hit the upright with a splendid drive. Crocker dealt capably with difficult shots from Ip Pak-wah, Fung, and Tao, but Lai Shui-wing went through on his own to culminate a fine solo effort by driving the ball into the roof of the net from five yards.

In the last minute Wearmouth broke away and transformed to Rose, but the latter's shot was splendidly saved by Wong Wah-kai.

South China:—Wong Wah-kai; Lee Tin-sau; Lau Mau; Leung In-chan; Lin Tso-po; Leung Wing-chiu; Tao Kwa-shing; Lai Shui-wing; Fung King-cheong; Ip Pak-wah; Leo Shek-yau.

Navy:—Crocker; Beard; Moss; Hughes; Lancashire; Bowers; Baxter; Rose; Cannell; Slavin and Wearmouth.

YUNNANFU ANXIETY DISCOUNTED

FOUR GOVT. REGIMENTS DEFEND CAPITAL

RED OBJECTIVE STATED TO BE OCCUPATION OF KWEICHOW

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday.

Press reports stating that the Communists are close to Yunnanfu were discounted here yesterday by liaison officers of the Yunnan and Nanking troops in Kweichow. They stated that Yunnanfu is now well garrisoned by over four regiments and that the Reds are at Ma Lung, about 40 miles east of Yunnanfu.

A vernacular press dispatch from Yunnanfu, received here on Thursday night, stated that the Reds were in the vicinity of Ching Yick near Ma Lung and that they were being enveloped by the Government forces. One Communist political director was reported killed on Thursday as a result of an aerial bombardment.

Competent military observers here believe that the occupation of Szechuan is the real objective of the Communists now in Yunnan. There is a unit of about 15,000 Reds in Northern Szechuan, and those in Yunnan are attempting to join them, they consider.

The Yunnan Reds are also attempting to enter Sikang in order to make contact with Soviet Russia. General Chiang Kai-shek is aware of this move and has ordered General Liu Wen-hui in Szechuan to prevent them from entering Sikang in the west of Szechuan.

FUSILIERS SOCCER CUP FINAL

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Ellis, at centre-forward, initiated many fine movements, but innumerable opportunities were lost through the erratic shooting of his colleagues.

Play opened at a very fast pace, and the ball was swung from end to end. Daniels sent in a hot shot from very close range, but in doing so came into collision with Wynne and had to leave the field for some minutes.

Sullivan Scores

Following a combined movement by the "D" Coy., forwards, a short pass from Bumster to Sullivan resulted in their first goal, Sullivan making no mistake with ground shot.

After the resumption, "D" Coy. continued to press, but Roxberry saved the situation on countless occasions.

The "A" Coy. goal soon came under pressure again, and, from a poor clearance, Sullivan returned, a "daisy-cutter" which again found the net.

Shield Presented

At the conclusion of the game the Shield was presented to the winners by the Commanding Officer, Lt.-Col. E. Hindson, who, in a short speech, said that the Shield was first presented in Hong Kong 36 years ago, and was won by old 'C' & 'H' Companies—now 'D' Company—in 1913.

"D" Company have a unique record, having won three shields on three consecutive days, the Drill Shield, the Hockey Shield, and the Football Shield.

"D" Coy.—Saunders; Wheeler, Galley; Wanklyn, McHugh, Tucker; Parry, Sullivan, Bumster, Evans and Daniels.

"A" Coy.—Williams; Wynne, Roxberry; Burton, Grindley, Gilchrist; Bruton, Harrison, Ellis, George, and Makin.

A scene from the Royal Welch Fusiliers' Inter-Company Soccer final at Soekunpo last Tuesday when "D" Coy. and "A" Coy. shared four goals. (Itling Studio).

INDUSTRIALISATION OF KWANGSI

Experimental Farms And Mining

TWO SUGAR FACTORIES TO BE ERECTED

Canton, Yesterday.

The Kwangsi provincial authorities have devoted much attention to the development of agricultural and mining industries recently.

An irrigated and cultivation experiment area has been created in Sha-tong, Lou-sheng County. Most of those working in the area are immigrants from other countries. Up to the present several thousands from the regions along the lower stream of the Lou River are cultivating an area of about 10,000 acres. Some 30 small scale irrigation works are now under construction and larger are being planned.

Mining enterprises in Kwangsi have been developed to some extent. In Ho-hien tens of companies are running mining enterprises. The Kwangsi Provincial Government is now contemplating the organisation of a department for opening tin mines.

The Kwangsi Provincial Government has also established two sugar refineries, one in Lou-chow and one in Kweilung, each of which will be capable of producing 500 tons of sugar daily. The machinery ordered in the United States for the Lou-chow refinery has already arrived in Hong Kong. (Central Press).

Regarding the remnant bandits in south Kiangsi, Lieut.-Gen. Mo said that after the adoption of the enveloping policy by the Kwangtung First Army Corps, the Red menace in that sector of Kiangsi has been eliminated. According to him, the group of bandits headed by Li Chung-pao, after suffering many defeats by the Kwangtung units, have surrendered to the Hunan forces. (Central Press).

BANDITS IN HUNAN WIPE OUT

Chinese General Tells Of Victory

Canton, Yesterday.

Interviewed, Lieut.-Gen. Mo Chien-hung, Commander of the Kwangtung Fourth Division, who has just arrived from the north yesterday told pressmen that the remnant bandits under Yih Chien-ying, who created disturbances in the south border of Hunan, have been entirely wiped out and the region on the Hunan and Kwangtung border has been restored to normalcy.

Kwoiyang, Yesterday.

General Chiang Kai-shek has informed Reuter that he intends to visit Yunnan by air as soon as flying conditions permit. Meanwhile headquarters here express no anxiety on the situation on Yunnanfu, which is reported to be quiet.

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'PEANUT' MARSHALL'S LONE WIN

NEEDA CARRIES HONOURS IN ONE EVENT

SPRING MEETING RESULTS

Mr. C. Encarnacao, who rode with mediocre success for Mr. Ho Kom Tong's stable at the Hong Kong Jockey Club's Annual Meeting this year, topped the jockeys' list on the opening day of the Shanghai Race Club's Spring Meeting yesterday, recording two wins, two seconds, and a third.

Mr. F. Marshall, the Shanghai champion jockey, who has ridden several winners in the Colony this season, was successful only once, although he secured three seconds.

Mr. V. V. Needa, who is extraordinarily popular at the Valley and whose rides are featured by very powerful finishes, secured a first and two thirds.

Mr. Jimmy Pole-Hunt, brother of the soccer interpreter, Mr. Noodt and Mr. A. F. Clark were among others who rode winners.

The following were the results as cabled by Reuter:

The Chinwangtao Handicap—One Mile:

1. Tangsten (Mr. Holgate)
2. Double Brand (Mr. Marshall)
3. Royal Bee II (Mr. Wade)

Time: 2 min. 6 sec.

The Nanking Stakes—½ Mile:

1. Frosty Light (Mr. Moller)
2. Cunshaw Morn (Mr. Parkin)
3. Merry Kid (Mr. Needa)

Time: 1 min. 29 4/5 sec.

The Hong Kong Stakes—7 Furlongs:

1. Black Michael (Mr. John Spark)
2. Malko (Mr. Encarnacao)
3. White Winter (Mr. Noodt)

Time: 1 min. 45 4/5 sec.

The Griffins Plate—½ Mile:

1. The Adjutant (Mr. Holgate)
2. Sootylight (Mr. Moller)
3. Twamlow (Mr. Noodt)

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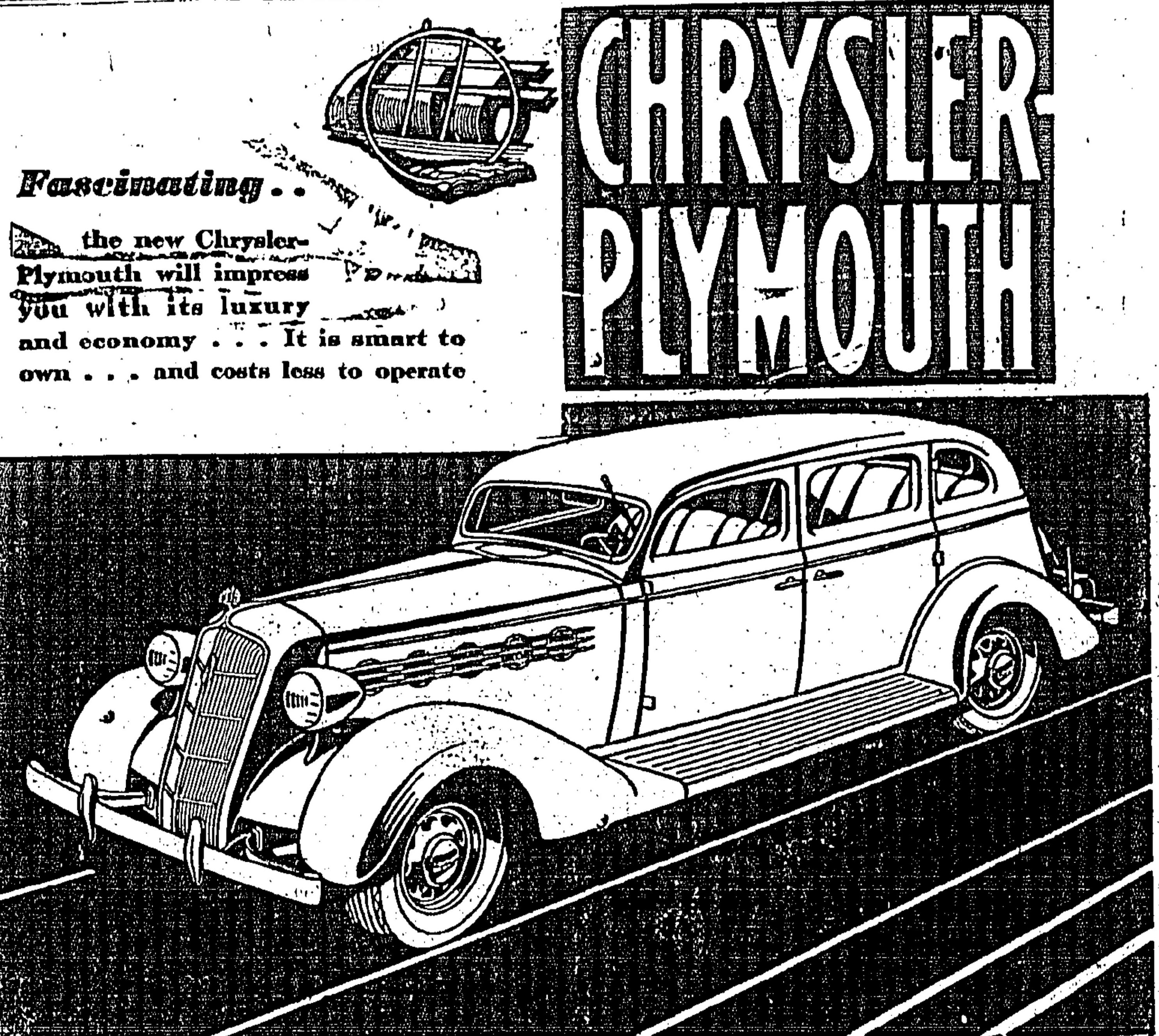
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Frozen Morse

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"In the Navy, when I was a signaller."

"I shall keep my private messages to send when you are out of the way."

Smart young fellow that sergeant, with his brain as alert as a watchdog. Even a shadow of a clue might put him on Cad Irwin's track.

She leant over the table.

"I'll give you all this silver, Fred Irwin, as a present, and not say a word about it, if you'll go."

"Nothing doing. You wouldn't get thirty bob for the lot."

"You're wrong. Look at this."

She held up a squat egg-cup near his face.

"You'd get ten shillings for it!"

She laid it down beyond the flower vase, and, picking up another vase, she thrust it towards him.

"Fifteen shillings, at least.

Don't be a fool, take your chance while you've got it."

She laid the flower vase beyond the egg-cup and bent over the table, her fingers moving quickly.

The cart was halfway across to the post office when she raised her head.

The man pressed the revolver brutally against her side.

"Don't you make a sound," he threatened—"or...."

It was almost level with her window. She could hear the harness jingling, each hoofbeat of the spavined mare, and the crunching of the iron-bound wheels.

"This is your last chance, Fred Irwin," she heard herself saying in a sharp, controlled voice, as though it was he who was in her power, instead of she who was in his.

"Will you take the silver and go?"

"No."

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As she fell to the floor the jingling of the harness ceased.

The man stood back against the wall, covered by the counter from the window overlooking the village square. Feet, unsteadily placed, sounded as they approached the window. Tinny gurgles came eerily from the swinging receiver.

A figure swayed before the window, silhouetted against the pale gleams of the moon. It peered cautiously into the darkness within, then shuffled on towards the grocer's shop next door. An interminable series of moments and the harness began again. The hoofbeats plodded on into the silence.

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"Watch your step, Perkins." The young sergeant was on his knees beside the dead woman. "Put up the lights."

The lights went on.

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Heavy footsteps sounded on the floorboards.

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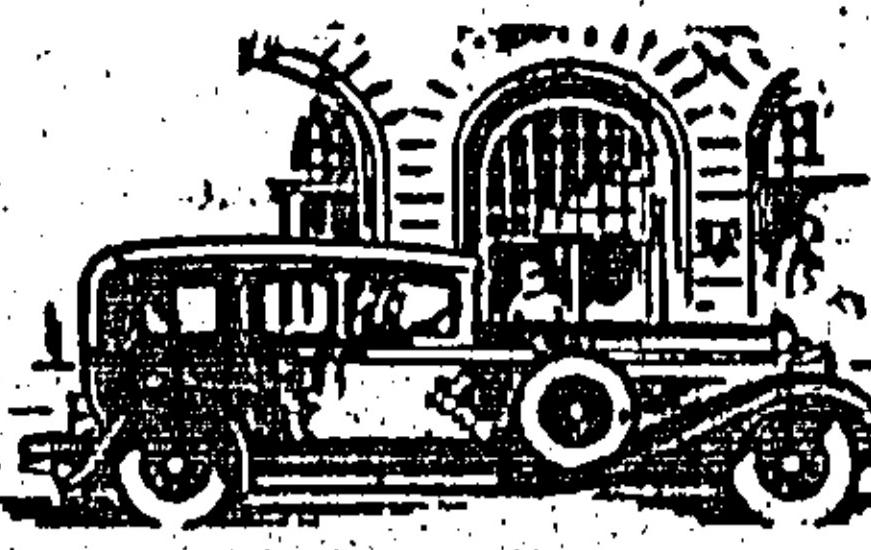
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The constable came in.

"Safe been rifled, sergeant; but



SAVING OF MINUTES

"FUTILITY OF UNDUE SPEED"

NOT WORTH THE RISK

A member of the N.R.M.A. in a contribution to the association's safety campaign, emphasises the futility of undue speed. He points out that in a short tour the saving in time from high speed is not worth the risks that must be taken. The following table shows the time taken to do 20 miles at different speeds:—At 20 m.p.h., 60 minutes; at 25 m.p.h., 48 minutes; at 30 m.p.h., 40 minutes; at 40 m.p.h., 30 minutes; at 50 m.p.h., 24 minutes; at 60 m.p.h., 20 minutes; at 65 m.p.h., 18½ minutes.

As the speed increases, there is a descending ratio of time saved, and there is a growing difficulty in maintaining the speed increases. In estimating speeds over any distance, the time lost in slowing up owing to heavy traffic, hills, bad roads, and other factors must also be considered, so that it is the average speed that must be kept in mind when saving time is to be reckoned.

This would tend still more to emphasise the futility of driving at a rate faster than, say, 35 to 40 miles an hour on well-used roads, in the metropolitan area.

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MOTORING NOTES

SILENCING THE EXHAUST

A SERIOUS DIFFICULTY OVERCOME

THE 'VORTEX' SILENCER

Designers of car and aeroplane engines have for long been intrigued by the problem of silencing the exhaust efficiently without causing the building up of an excessive back pressure, which not only impairs the power output, but also tends to promote overheating and general sluggishness. Mufflers having a pronounced "baffling" effect cannot be used indiscriminately, yet if the exhaust gases are not admitted to an expansion chamber in which some of their velocity is expended and their temperature reduced, the noise of the engine will be exaggerated, and, in the case of cars and motorcycles, becomes a public nuisance.

The desirability of silencing aeroplane engines effectively for military reasons is self-apparent. One of the most promising principles which have been exploited is that of promoting a vacuum effect in the silencer, so that the natural tendency of the gases is to pass readily through the rear-outlet, and another means of attaining the results desired is to set up a whirling flow of gas in the muffler. A device known as the "Vortex" silencer has been perfected by a Sheffield firm, and is now marketed in England. It replaces the conventional muffler, and can be installed in stock model cars.

The expansion chamber contains a series of steel cups so shaped that as the gases impinge on them a vortex is created, and the gases are whirled through the expansion chamber. Each cup is backed by a perforated cone, and quietness of operation is enhanced by the use of a sound-absorbing material.

NEW SIGNALLING DEVICE

PRIVATE OWNER'S PROBLEMS

A signalling device for lorries, which, if extensively adopted, would serve to make driving for the private motorist far more pleasant than it is, has been placed on the English market.

The device consists of a box-like element divided into compartments which, when a switch is operated, exhibit the words "DO NOT OVERTAKE," or "YOU MAY OVERTAKE," or an arrow showing a proposed turn to the right, or a similar arrow giving warning that a turn to the left is about to be made.

Only one signal at a time is visible, and normally the panel on which the signals appear is blank. Naturally a wise motorist who is overtaking will not rely entirely upon the opinion of the man in front that it is safe to pass, and in law he would have no excuse for following that signal, and yet it is always satisfactory to be told the opinion of the man in front and to be informed that he is prepared to allow you to pass.

TRAFFIC CONTROL BY LIGHT RAY

USE FOR PHOTO-ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT

Already photo-electric equipment has been put to many ingenious uses. Simply speaking photo-electric equipment consists of a light beam which is directed on to a selenium cell; when the beam is interrupted the apparatus records the fact. For instance, in its latest guise the equipment is employed in a new super-garage where the ceilings are comparatively low.

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A RUSSIAN WRITER TALKS RANDOM MEMORIES OF MAXIM GORKI

LIFE UNDER THE TZARS AND THE SOVIET

(By Phyllis Juby)

THE Russian Soviet has undergone so many changes since the Revolution that many people are puzzled as to how these changes affect the general policy of the Party. Indeed, from the very outset there has been a rather vague general idea as to what the Communist party actually wanted to do. There were famous artists and writers working during the old regime, and what is their position in the Soviet? One of these is Maxim Gorky. He spends his winters in Sorrento in Italy and many believe him to be in exile. I have collected scraps of conversation which he has had with people who went to visit him in his villa by the sea, where he lives waiting for the spring to allow his return to a warmer Moscow. Sitting before a big table, Gorky talks:

"In us, the men whom the Devil takes, are four different men at the same time. There was a merchant on the Volga. He had four wives. Later on, he made his son marry and when the son was drunk at the wedding feast, he took, beside the young woman, the place of his son. Then he decided that his second son should marry. He tried to resist his father, but the old man beat him so badly that he remained an idiot for the rest of his days. And the old man went again to sleep with the daughter-in-law. The third son fled... You see it was indecent of the old man to take a strange woman and live with her without having gone into the church. And the daughter-in-law living under the same roof! No one had the right to say anything. I knew that man; he was 70 years of age. A foot taller than myself, broad-shouldered, with flashing teeth, and rather cold blue eyes that could suddenly light up."

Stories Of The Merchants
"In my souvenirs, I have described Bougov, also a merchant. I went to take tea with him at eight o'clock in the morning. One sends a messenger: 'Will you come to tea?' Why not? The tea was strong, the bread warm, the caviar fresh. The floor was laid with rich carpets, along which young girls walked, pretty, young, dark-haired. He lived alone. A man who needed nothing. He had forty millions and inherited thirty. He loved young girls, and, in preference, under the age of 16. He chose one, lived with her, and later married her off to one of his employees. He gave her a dowry, 3,000, 5,000 roubles. And built for each one a cottage, always the same. Three windows. A steel roof. Only, the walls were painted in different colours. Looking from a passing train, that little village appeared droll. One little cottage here, another there, some more still, all the same. The fiancées of Bougov... He built a theatre and had the place recognised as a municipality. He put in sewerage at his own cost. An amusing man.

"There was another, a merchant, who, thanks to certain peculiarities of his character, ruined himself. His creditors put him in prison. When he was released he still had some money. He went to see Tolstoy. Leo Nikolaiwitsch conferred with him and afterwards he came back, bought velours slippers and a cap. He engaged himself in a process against the police: they made him pay, unjustly, a copeck. He went to the tribunal. The tribunal did not want to worry about a copeck, and besides the police were in their service. So he addressed himself to a session of the justices of the peace. Nobody took him seriously, and he was again passed over. He deposited a complaint at the Senate. He went himself to Petersburg, and he won the case. The Senate condemned the police to pay the copeck and the expenses of the process. The merchant came back to Nijni-Novgorod, and went to the Governor: 'Behold, I won.' The other remains silent, he must be vexed. The merchant goes to the newspaper—that time I was working on the editorial staff. He says: 'Publish this senatorial decree.' We accepted, and sent the text to the censors. But the censors suppressed it. The next day the good man arrived armed with a stick:

"Well, why didn't you publish it?" We explain the reason. He cries: 'Swine! To the Governor! We'll see whether you're going to defy the Senate!'

The Governor knows nothing about it.

'You lie; you are the Governor, and you must know everything. Tell the censors to give the permission.'

Well, the censors received instructions to do so."

The Fair Of Nijni

"And there was the famous fair of Nijni-Novgorod. Some unforgettable things happened there. So much energy to spend. The life monotonous, nothing to do. A clown exhibited trained pig in the circus. The merchants hired somebody for 5,000 roubles to steal the animal and they had it grilled and ate it. The clown, when he found it out, committed suicide.

"A merchant, one night, arrives in Nijni, descends on the hotel and orders a dinner for 24 guests. Only, he says, stitch the table-cloths together so as not to have one here and one there with a space in the middle. It was done; and in the evening he came to inspect the table. He took hold of one end of the table-cloth and pulled it; everything went down in splinters. He then threw 10,000 roubles on the table and walked out. He had had his amusement..."

"There was a journalist, Pastoukhov, who published a sheet in Nijni during the fair. One day he was fishing in the river. On the other bank a little imp was aping the fisherman. Pastoukhov pulled out his revolver and killed the child. Well, this is a murder, so it must be submitted to the tribunal. The journalist was tried. The case finished by reproaches made to the father of the victim for having so badly brought up his son: is it permissible to ape a man so influential?" Pastoukhov got away with an ecclesiastical penitence. A trouble which nobody took very seriously.

"I was also tried once by the Church for an attempt at suicide. That is punishable by the Church code. The priest said to me: 'Well! God gave you life, and what do you do?'

"I was only eighteen years of age, and arrogant. I threatened to hang myself on the church door. They excommunicated me for seven years. Seven years interdiction from marriage and death. I am not dead, and I married—on my word of honour!—on the same day."

The Tsar

"Nicolas II. I saw three times, one day for several hours. I walked behind him at the Nijni fair. He came to the inauguration, he strolled, looking. A grey-blue man, with azure eyes, a slight build. At his side, Witte, with a big head, enormous feet. Behind is the suite. And in comparison, at the fair, the Tsar appeared small and bored. Witte was tall by a head, more intelligent, the most intelligent of all; a crook, but an intelligent crook... What was astonishing in Nicolas was the cruelty mixed with stupidity. No friends, not a single friend. His palace in Tsarskoe an interior of the small bourgeois. And his journal! Such happenings, a dynasty crumbling, and he, the head of the dynasty, observes but the change of the weather: yesterday the weather was like this, today like that... How could such men have existed? At the fair there was an extraordinary woman who recited tales. She knew by heart 30,000 verses, more than the Iliad. Did the Tsar show any interest in such exceptional persons who lived in his Empire? No, none.

"What a force in this people! Formerly they found not the application. To-day they revel in it. A grand people.

"What most people do not know is that Lenin saved Russia from being crushed by the peasants. For the village was marching on the towns."

Russia To-day

"... I think that foreigners know us as little to-day as before

the Revolution.... What is most astonishing to me in present Russia is the miraculous development of intellectual forces. I am not a member of the Party, I just went there and saw simple workers who are statesmen. They know a lot and they are still learning. The village goes to the towns. They ask questions: How? Why? Where?

Their tone is exacting. The men feel the right to be exacting. They don't want to live any more in the villages; they desire to have towns built for them, and theatres, and cinemas. Extraordinary people—especially the young ones—burning with curiosity and the desire to learn."

The Youth

"One day, for instance—and this is not an exception—I received a letter from a place in the farthest corner of Siberia. A young girl wrote to me, daughter of a teacher; she had read all the books in the village and she had nothing more to read. During one single year she had read 600 volumes, a young girl of 15. In the beginning I doubted whether she was so young. I answered that if she had really had read five hundred books it was very bad for her part. She should come to Moscow to study. She came. Not pretty, solidly built, with big spectacles. Really 15 years old. She came promptly, vexed that I would not believe she had read the five hundred books. She knew well and questioned well. She was very well informed on the history of religions. She read the father of all churches, the Bible. An exceptional memory, she quoted everything by heart. She worked, so hard that she was given work as guide in the museum.

"And again, here is Maximov. A 17-year-old, coming from rough stock, old believers. The school was destroyed during the civil war. Don't figure on staying with us," they told him; "and besides the school will not be reconstructed."

"So he was obliged to spend his nights in a stable. Little by little he united all the young ones of the village and they started to study among themselves. Later on, they wanted to send him to Moscow. He protested: 'I know all that already. And the rest I will learn from the books.'

Thirst For Knowledge

"Life became more interesting. There is a taste of adventure. A certain Pavlovski disappeared one day. A year passes, two years, and no Pavlovski. Finally one learns that he is a radio operator on an island in the middle of the Arctic ocean—and he writes poems.

"There is such a thirst for knowledge. It is immense. One could fill books of tales of what is happening. But just one characteristic example. A simple peasant woman learned to read at the age of 64. And at the age of 68 she wrote a book. A great book, and more than 800 pages, with some terrifying parts. One reads it, especially the young girls in the country, who know nothing of the past. The whole world reads. Books are sold as quickly as they appear. In 1931 the Soviet journals had a circulation of 27,500,000 per day, in 1932 they increased to 36,000,000. A peasant newspaper has a circulation of 3,500,000. And there is a newspaper for those who have just started to read.

"Tolstoy is most widely read, then Pushkin and Dostoevsky. Zola, Stendhal, Goethe, Balzac, Valery are all popular and sold in good editions."

Abandoned Children

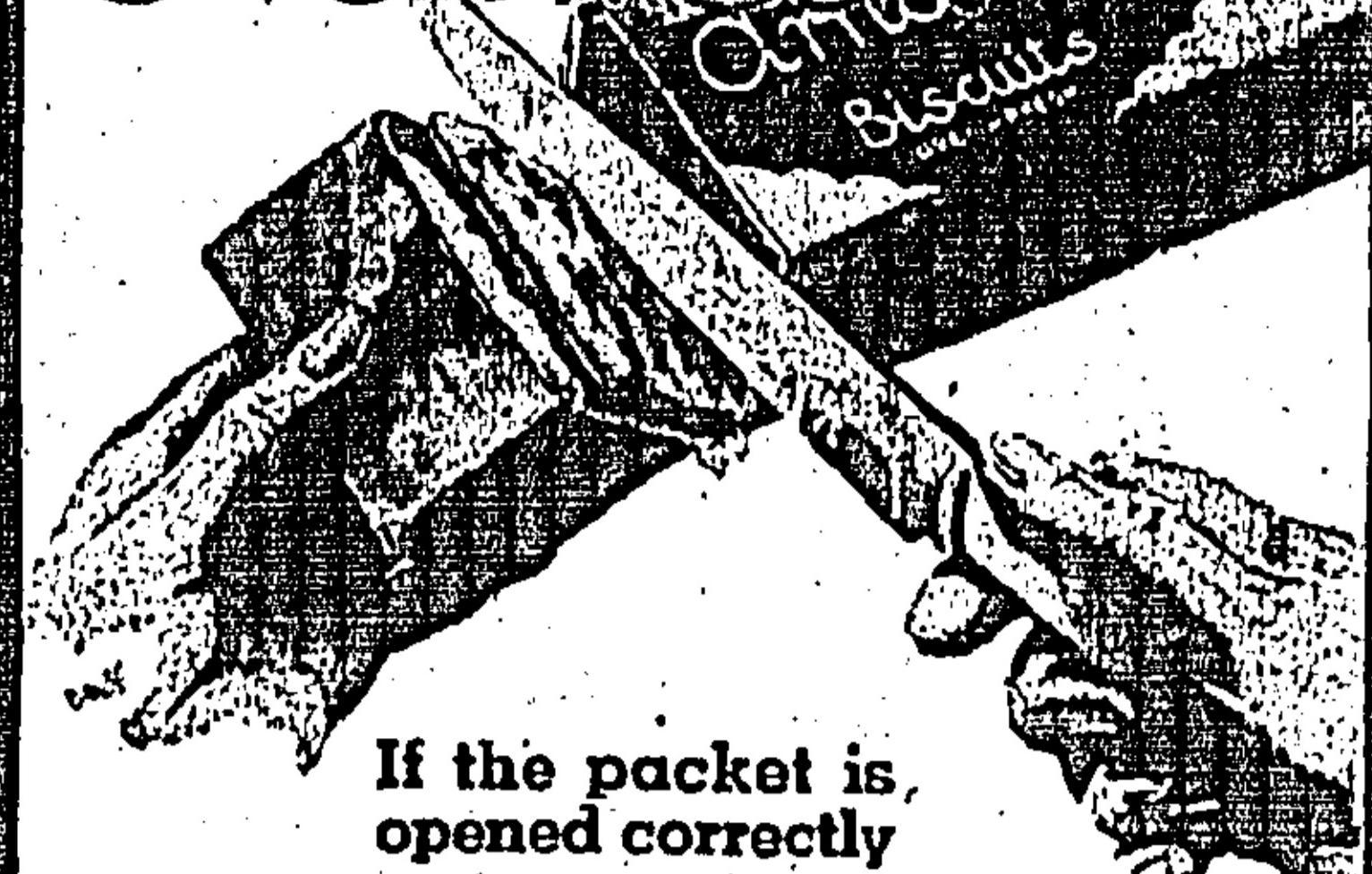
"Those abandoned children, children of drunkards, criminals, who were such a big problem, are now in big colonies. I visited one of them near Moscow. There are 1,500 of them there. They have learnt how to make sporting articles. They won a prize in London for their tennis racquets. There are poets amongst them, and a writer. Not bad.

"I met there a man, a certain Alexei P., a thief, a specialist in safe-breaking. He was now instructor in literature and philosophy. He was a celebrated thief who 'worked' in Paris. I asked him how he managed to instruct himself during so busy a life.

"'Why,' he said, 'I lived with my wife quietly in an apartment. We went to concerts, to the theatre. Sometimes I received a telegram. I did my work, got my share, and then came back to live quietly.'

"At present he is in the colony, where he occupies himself with cultural work. And in the five-year plan that colony completed its work

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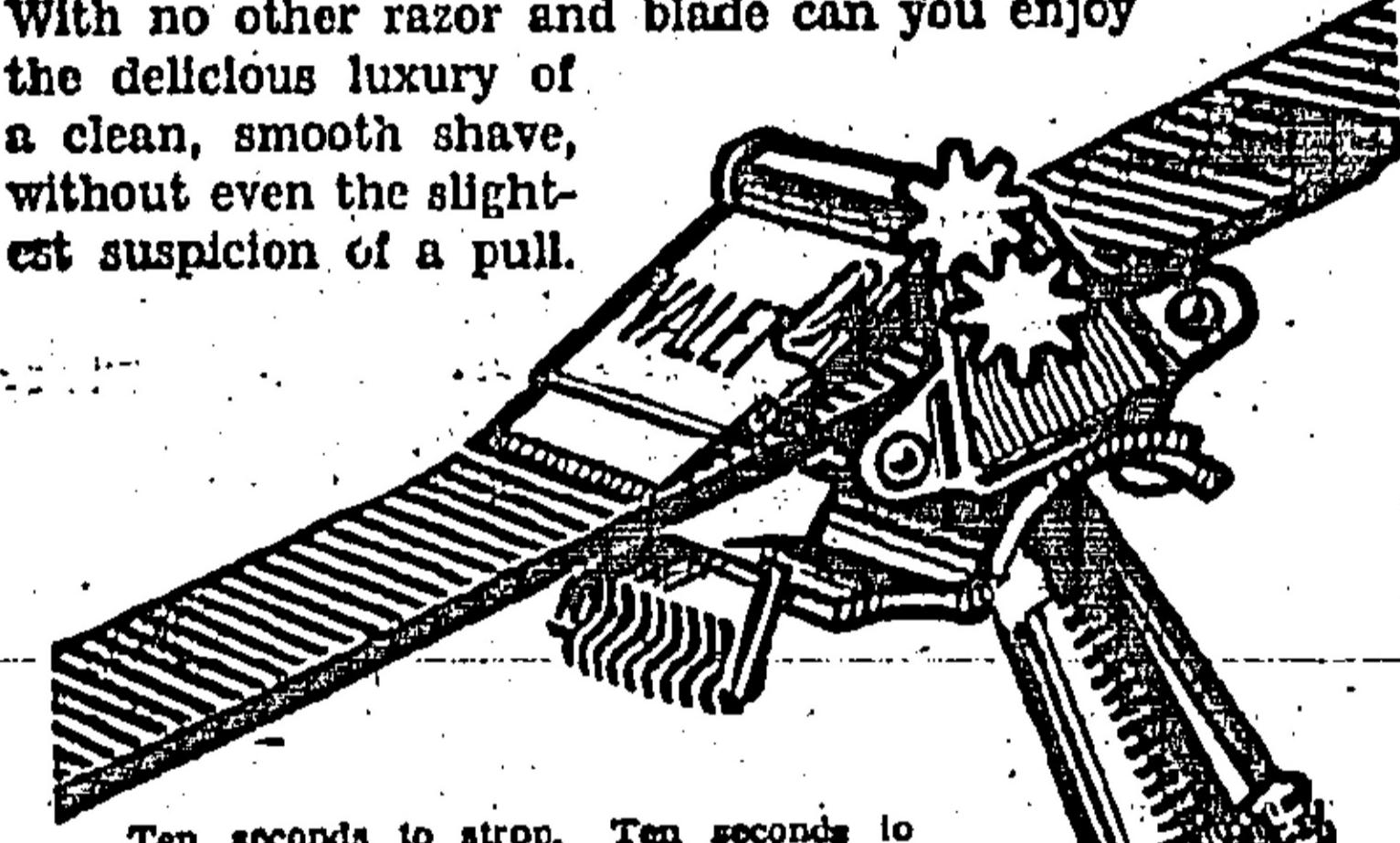
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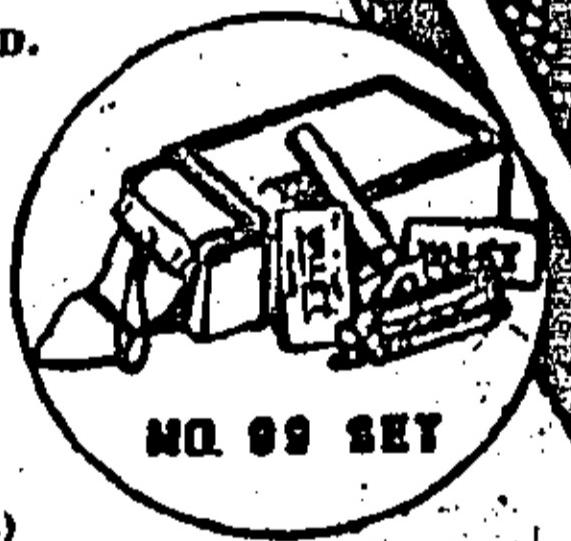
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